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## Invitations For 1938

**C**ITIES planning to invite the National Conference of Social Work for 1938 may obtain detailed information regarding the requirements of the Conference from the Conference office in Columbus, O. The Committee on Time and Place, Peter Kasius, 613 Locust St., St. Louis, Mo., chairman, will hold its first meeting Monday, May 25, at 4 o'clock p. m. at the Ambassador Hotel in Atlantic City in a room to be announced in the Daily Bulletin.

At that time all invitations will be heard and each local committee will be offered an opportunity to present its claims. All invitations must be accompanied by the information and guarantee blank properly filled in and signed. Copies of the blank may be obtained from the Conference office. Mr. Kasius would appreciate hearing as soon as possible of invitations that are to be presented in Atlantic City.

## More Missing Members

**H**ERE is another list of missing members of the National Conference of Social Work whose names or addresses are incorrect or incomplete in the Conference files. We published a similar list in the January Bulletin and succeeded in locating many persons whose Bulletins, Proceedings and other mail were being returned to the Conference office by the mailman.

Thanks to all the Bulletin readers who helped on the other list. Can you tell us the addresses of the following Conference members?

Adams, Mrs. Mary Blake, Chicago, Illinois.  
 Albert, Ruth B., Ravenna, Ohio.  
 Ayres, Dwight, Washington, D. C.  
 Badger, Elizabeth, Washington, D. C.  
 Brinkerhoff, Miriam C., Atlanta, Georgia.  
 Brooks, Beulah, Angola, Indiana.  
 Brown, Alyss, Montreal, Canada.  
 Brown, Louise Stephens, Brooklyn, New York.  
 Cairns, Mrs. Minnie B., Kansas City, Missouri.  
 Cook, Kenneth E., Buffalo, New York.  
 Deitz, Katherine F., Washington, D. C.  
 Deutsch, Naomi, Berkeley, California.  
 Early, Harry J., Washington, D. C.  
 Espino, Rafaela, Santurce, Puerto Rico.  
 Farrell, M. Camilla, Providence, Rhode Island.  
 Fellahuer, Martin, Jr., Kansas City, Missouri.  
 Foster, Mrs. Marion Lounsbury, New York City.  
 Gherke, Esther, Hayward, Wisconsin.  
 Gilmour, Mrs. Eve N., San Francisco, California.  
 Goens, Mrs. Lennie V., Noblesville, Indiana.  
 Gray, Mrs. Leslie, St. Louis, Missouri.  
 Grimmer, Marguerite, Topeka, Kansas.  
 Guilford, R. G., Lindstrom, Minnesota.  
 Hall, Perry, Cleveland, Ohio.  
 Harris, Mrs. Jean C., Roanoke, Virginia.  
 Hendricks, Thomasine, Louisville, Kentucky.  
 Humphrey, Mrs. Ann, Lancaster, Missouri.  
 Kovalchek, Janet, Denver, Colorado.  
 Ladewick, Esther, Chicago, Illinois.  
 MacKay, William N., New London, Connecticut.  
 Marshall, Sabina, Montgomery, Alabama.  
 Marvin, F. H., Topeka, Kansas.  
 McCallum, Margaret, Windsor, Vermont.  
 Meyer, Mildred H., New York City.  
 Miller, Mrs. Jesse, Columbus, Kansas.  
 Mudgett, Mrs. Mildred, Minneapolis, Minnesota.  
 Newcomb, Eileen, Buffalo, New York.  
 Oppenheimer, Janet, Washington, D. C.  
 Plumley, Margaret Lovell, Washington, D. C.  
 Reinhardt, Helen, Forest City, North Carolina.  
 Ross, Amelia, Brooklyn, New York.  
 Rothschild, Walter M., Cincinnati, Ohio.  
 Runson, A. H., Richmond, Virginia.  
 Sangree, Ruth M., Findlay, Ohio.  
 Shaffert, Willard H., Dorchester, Boston, Massachusetts.  
 Tallman, Robert G. H., Salina, Kansas.  
 Ulsaker, Ida M., Crosby, North Dakota.  
 Waltz, Mrs. Harriet W., East St. Louis, Illinois.  
 Weinandy, Janet E., Cleveland, Ohio.  
 Williams, Grace, New York City.  
 Witt, Edna, St. Louis, Missouri.  
 Woodward, Nellie L., Chicago, Illinois.  
 Young, Leonore M., Providence, Rhode Island.



## J. PRENTICE MURPHY

### Friend and Faithful Member of The Conference for Over a Quarter-Century; Was Nominee for 1936-37 President

**J.** PRENTICE MURPHY died on February 2, 1936. In the circle of the National Conference of Social Work, indeed in the family of social workers throughout the country, Prentice Murphy needs no identification of residence or field of work. He was in a peculiar sense a national social worker.

For a little over a quarter of a century he was a faithful and generous member of the Conference. There are no blank years in his membership record. He was one of its generous members who contributed over and above the usual membership fee that the work of the Conference might go on. Prentice Murphy was a participating and working member of the Conference. Beginning in 1911 there is hardly a year during this quarter of a century that his name does not appear as a member of some Committee or as an officer. At the last annual meeting in Montreal he was nominated for President and would have begun his term of office at Atlantic City. Such service and leadership is an integral part of the history of the Conference and its service to social work.

Prentice Murphy's participation in the Conference as well as in a host of other relationships in social work was marked by a penetrating understanding and sympathy of the problems to be faced, goals to be attained and methods available. No person probably was more sought after for advice and help at the annual meetings of the Conference than Mr. Murphy and how generously he gave of his time and

strength, perhaps too generously for his own good.

To those of us who have known him for many years his almost infinite capacity for friendship was an outstanding characteristic. To work and to accomplish are the usual marks of success. When to this is added the capacity to win and hold friendships with all kinds and classes of people, close associates and those who may differ in points of view, this ability is the genius of real leadership. Prentice Murphy had this capacity to an unusual degree.



J. PRENTICE MURPHY

As one looks upon this lifetime of useful service and reads some of the contributions which Prentice Murphy made to the Proceedings of the Conference one is impressed by the breadth of interest and the scope of understanding which he had. It was as if he lived upon a mountain top and while viewing the foreground of his immediate tasks at the same time had wide horizons of social goals. Perhaps this breadth of vision can best be summarized by a quotation from his epoch-making address at the Providence meeting of the National Conference of Social Work in 1922: "There is at hand for all of us the opportunity to re-write and remake this troublesome world. We need to get a new evaluation of the millions upon millions of precious early years of childhood which each year are wasted. With the power for reconstruction presented to the world in the life of each new child there is that very hope which this old world needs."

H. R. K.

## Of All The Names - - -

WITH but one-quarter of 1936 past, the Conference staff already is claiming the award for the prize clerical "boner" of the year. It all concerns the membership list published in January. Of all the names the staff might have left out of the list in its zeal to include the name of every member—it "chose" among others the names of its president, Monsignor Robert F. Keegan, and one of its best known past presidents, Frank J. Bruno.

Apologies have been expressed personally, and the general secretary even added sackcloth and ashes to his habiliments as he explained the error to the president. What makes the mistake even more confusing, is the fact that in most cases the members have belonged to the Conference for many years. It was all an inadvertency and the Conference regrets it.

Here are the names and identifications in geographical order:

### Massachusetts

Conant, Richard K., former commissioner of Public Welfare, 41 Mount Vernon Street, Boston.

Goodhue, Frank W., director of Division of Aid and Relief, Massachusetts State Department of Public Welfare, State House, Boston.

Logan, Mrs. Edward L., Cohasset.

Murphy, Francis J., 146 Federal Street, Salem.

Solomon, Dr. Harry C., 270 Commonwealth Ave., Boston.

### Missouri

Bruno, Frank J., director of the Department of Sociology, Washington University, St. Louis (contributing member).

### New York

Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of New York, The Very Reverend Monsignor Robert F. Keegan, executive director, 477 Madison Ave., New York City (contributing member).

Keegan, The Very Reverend Monsignor Robert F., executive director of Catholic Charities, 477 Madison Ave., New York City (contributing member).

### AWARD AWAITS SPEAKER

**A**N award of \$250 awaits one of the speakers who will appear at the 63rd Annual Meeting of the National Conference of Social Work in Atlantic City.

The annual prize, known as the Pugsley Award, has been granted for the past several years by Chester D. Pugsley of Peekskill, N. Y., to reward outstanding contributions to social work. The Conference Editorial Committee will determine the winner by selecting the paper which, in its judgment, makes the most important contribution to the subject matter of social work.

## Register First

**S**OMETHING new in Conference registration procedure is planned for the 63rd Annual Meeting in Atlantic City May 24 to 30 when everyone must register before attending daily Conference sessions. Registration will not be required for attendance at the general sessions.

The new "register first" rule was adopted last fall by the Conference Executive Committee after it determined approximately one-third of the delegates to the 1935 meeting in Montreal failed to register and become members of the Conference. The committee declared one part of the membership should not be required to support the Annual Meeting for the great numbers who derive full benefits without assuming a small share of responsibility.

Persons already members of the Conference or who are authorized representatives of member agencies will not be required to pay registration fees in Atlantic City. Delegates who are not members or who do not represent member agencies must pay the minimum Conference membership fee of \$3, which at the same time will enroll them as members of the National Conference of Social Work with fees paid for one year.

Plans are being developed for a fast, adequately staffed registration service to reduce delays to an absolute minimum. The registration booth will open Friday, May 22, at 1 o'clock p. m. at Conference headquarters in the Auditorium. Registration will remain open Saturday and Sunday and all of Conference week.

Persons who are not now members of the Conference will save themselves future trouble and time by joining now instead of waiting until reaching Atlantic City.

## Open Meeting Scheduled

**P**ERSONS expecting to attend the Third International Conference of Social Work will have an opportunity during the Annual Meeting of the National Conference of Social Work to hear the "last word" concerning program and general information relating to the London meeting.

The United States Committee for the Third International Conference has scheduled an open meeting at 4 o'clock p. m. Thursday, May 28 in the Auditorium at Atlantic City. Those who are interested are invited to attend and hear the committee's report of its activities and the final program summary. Questions concerning the London meeting will be answered.



## GENERAL SESSIONS SPEAKERS

### Fields of Government, Academic Affairs and Social Work Represented by the Six Who Will Address General Sessions in Atlantic City

FROM the fields of government, academic affairs and social work come the six speakers who have accepted invitations to address the general sessions of the 63rd Annual Meeting of the National Conference of Social Work.

Six general sessions have been scheduled, including the Wednesday evening reception to the president and the Conference. Only one general session will be held in the daytime—the final Conference luncheon, Saturday afternoon, May 30. The others will be held evenings in the ballroom of the Atlantic City Auditorium, which will be Conference headquarters.

Following is the list of general sessions together with notes about the speakers:

#### Sunday, May 24

The Very Reverend Monsignor Robert F. Keegan, president of the National Conference of Social Work: Presidential Address: "Democracy at the Crossroads."

Monsignor Keegan is executive director of Catholic Charities of New York, which was organized under his direction. Since the formation of the Catholic Charities, over \$20,000,000 have been raised under his direction. Monsignor Keegan became president of the New York State Conference of Social Work in 1925. He was elected president of the National Conference of Catholic Charities in 1933 and in the same year was appointed pastor of the Church of the Blessed Sacrament, New York City.

#### Monday, May 25

Mayor Fiorello H. LaGuardia of New York and Edith Abbott, dean of the Graduate School of Social Service Administration, University of Chicago: "Public Welfare and Politics."

As legislator as well as administrator, Mayor LaGuardia has had an active part in public welfare and security affairs for many years. Before taking office as Fusionist mayor of New York in 1934, he served four terms in Congress and had been deputy attorney general of New York.

Miss Abbott has been dean of the Graduate School since 1924. She is co-editor of the *Social Service Review* and is the author of several works including "Historical Aspects of the Immigration Problem," "Social Welfare and Professional Education," "Crime and the Foreign Born" and others. Miss Abbott is the nominee for 1936-37 president of the National Conference of Social Work.

#### Tuesday, May 26

Parker T. Moon, professor of International Relations, Columbia University: "International Peace and the Common Good."

In the interest of international peace, Professor Moon served on the Colonel House Commission of Inquiry in 1917-18; as a member of the staff of the American Commission to Negotiate Peace, 1918-19; and was secretary of the Committee on Territorial Problems at the Peace Conference, 1919. He was elected president of the Catholic Association for International Peace in 1931. Professor Moon is editor of the *Political Science Quarterly*. He has written "A Syllabus of Imperialism and World Politics," "The Labor Problem and the Social Catholic Movement in France," "Imperialism and World Politics" and is co-author of several history books.

#### Wednesday, May 27

Reception to the president and the Conference.

#### Friday, May 29

Harold W. Dodds, president of Princeton University: "Government and the Common Welfare."

Dr. Dodds was professor of Politics at Princeton before becoming president in 1933. He has served the United States and other governments in various international affairs. He acted as chief adviser to the president in the Nicaraguan elections of 1928; he was technical adviser to the president in the Tacna-Arica Plebiscitary Commission in 1925-26; he was electoral adviser to the Government of Nicaragua, 1922-24; and served as executive secretary of the United States Food Administration in Pennsylvania, 1917-19.

#### Saturday, May 30

Dr. Solomon Lowenstein, executive vice-president of the Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies of New York City: "National Security—What Price?"

Dr. Lowenstein's activities in his long service in social work started with his position as headworker of the Jewish Settlement in Cincinnati. Successively, he was superintendent of the United Jewish Charities, Cincinnati; assistant manager of United Hebrew Charities; superintendent of the Hebrew Orphan Asylum, New York City; and executive director of the Federation he now serves. He was deputy commissioner of the American Red Cross Commission to Palestine in 1918-19; president of the National Conference of Jewish Social Work, 1922, and of the New York State Conference of Social Work, 1923. He is a member of the New York State Temporary Emergency Relief Administration and chairman of the coordinating committee of the Welfare Council of New York. Dr. Lowenstein is nominee for first vice-president for 1936-37 of the National Conference of Social Work.

## THE 1936 CONFERENCE CITY

ON the sandy New Jersey shore, warmed by favorable ocean currents and brushed by invigorating sea breezes, stands Atlantic City: charming old fishing village turned world's crossroads. Even though the city has long since given up its identity as a haven for commercial fishermen, the romance associated with ships and the sea remains.

Atlantic City is one of the places on the continent to see, for it is a thoroughly distinctive American city. Further, its convenient location on the Eastern seaboard places it within a few minutes or a few hours of the nation's great Eastern metropolitan centers.

The visitor finds great varieties of unusual places and things in Atlantic City: the ocean beach, the Boardwalk, the piers, aquariums, speedboats and sailboats, deep-sea and surf fishing, distinctive shops featuring merchandise from all parts of the world, magnificent hotel architecture, gardens and many more attractions. The city has given itself over to the task of providing a convenient and attractive mecca for visitors and for large conventions and it has succeeded in every respect.

The famous Boardwalk is one of its best-known features. Eight miles long, flanked by the ocean on one side and an array of splendid hotels, smart shopping places and unusual recreation and entertainment establishments on the other, the Boardwalk is the life stream of Atlantic City. For relaxation one may ride leisurely along the walk in a roller chair. Or one may stroll down its wide lanes.

Six ocean piers, each with characteristic individualities extend out into the water, some nearly half a mile. Best known is the Steel Pier which houses a wide variety of entertainment features. At the extreme end of Young's Million Dollar Pier is one of the most fascinating spectacles Atlantic City has to offer—the deep sea net haul. Twice a day the nets are hauled up to reveal all sorts of specimens of deep sea life. The pier's aquariums are always filled with fish of every description and many aquariums in cities in various parts of the country feature strange ocean creatures caught in these hauls. At the Heinz Pier one may inspect collections of art objects and paintings. The other piers are equally entertaining.

The beach is one of the safest in the world. It extends the length of the Boardwalk and is so flat and shelving that lifelines are unnecessary. If one wishes merely to relax and enjoy the sunshine he may choose the sun decks of the piers or the beach-front hotel decks which afford an unobstructed view of the surf and Boardwalk.

Deep-sea fishing provides one of the thrills for sportsmen—or amateur anglers—who wish to go out

in the available fishing boats. Tuna and sailfish are among daily catches.

Those who enjoy sports find, besides fishing, ocean bathing and boating, a wide variety in Atlantic City. There are six golf courses, five indoor swimming pools, numerous tennis courts and various bridle paths, with plenty of horses to be hired for riding along the beach as well as the wooded byways.

From the Inlet giant seaplanes make regular passenger flights over the city and surrounding area, affording one opportunity to obtain a bird's-eye view of the island on which Atlantic City is situated, of the rolling surf and the majestic sailing yachts, speedboats and other craft that skim by. Land planes make similar flights from the Municipal Airport where, also, planes from all over the country are landing at regular intervals.

Distinctive food is one of the points that marks a city, and Atlantic City is well-favored in this. The cuisines of many of the city's hotels and restaurants are famous throughout the country. And those who like seafoods will find all sorts of tempting dishes.

THE hotels themselves present a most interesting sight. Perhaps no other city has such a concentration of fine, large hotels as Atlantic City. All are distinctively designed and individually terraced.

One more famous building in the city is the modern Municipal Auditorium and Convention Hall. Covering an entire city block and facing the Boardwalk and the Atlantic Ocean, it houses the world's largest auditorium in addition to a spacious ballroom, twenty other meeting rooms, two large bathhouses and a 1,000-car garage. The entire permanent population of Atlantic City—66,000—could be seated in the entire building at one time with room to spare.

No visit to Atlantic City is complete without an inspection tour of its two smart residential suburbs, Ventnor and Margate, where all sorts of beautiful homes may be seen: colonial mansions, Spanish and Italian villas and typical American residences, surrounded by sweeping lawns, shrubbery and flower gardens.

Another attractive side to a trip to Atlantic City is that it permits one to visit other famous places. Washington, D. C., is but 175 miles away; Baltimore, 135; Philadelphia, 60; New York, 125. With frequent train, plane and bus service and with several broad paved highways leading into the city—north, south and west—all of these places are easily accessible.

Scene of the 63rd Annual Meeting, Atlantic City indeed stands out as one of the most attractive Conference cities selected in many years.



## ATLANTIC CITY HEADQUARTERS

### Auditorium Will House Registration, Information, Consultation and Other Services in Addition to Most of the Conference Meetings

**D**ELEGATES to the 63rd Annual Meeting of the National Conference of Social Work in Atlantic City face the happy prospect of a minimum of walking in going from Headquarters to meeting places.

Headquarters will be maintained on the main floor of the Auditorium, which is on the Boardwalk facing the Atlantic Ocean. In addition, most of the Conference sessions will be held in the same building. The Auditorium is easily accessible to all nineteen hotels designated for Conference use and is admirably suited for purposes of the Annual Meeting, as it contains twenty meeting rooms in addition to spacious quarters for the various Headquarters services.

At Headquarters will be found registration service, information service, desks for the sale of luncheon and dinner tickets, consultation service, executive offices and press service. Spacious lounges also are being provided for those who may wish to meet friends or engage in informal conferences.

General sessions of the Conference will be held in the attractive Ballroom of the Auditorium.

The final program, received when registering at Conference Headquarters, will provide all details such as meeting places, hours, directions and other information. All persons attending the Annual Meeting should go to Headquarters in the Auditorium immediately after arriving in Atlantic City, register and obtain the final program. The program is a handbook for the Conference and may be obtained only upon registering.

**A**CORDIAL invitation is extended to delegates to make full use of the varied facilities Consultation Center will offer this year.

Consultation Center will occupy a large portion of the main floor of the Auditorium at Atlantic City. On this floor will be the registration booth which all delegates will visit upon their arrival. Directly behind it will be a large array of exhibition and consultation booths representing most of the important national agencies and some local agencies in the field of social work.

At these booths attractive displays will help delegates to learn quickly and painlessly what social work is doing in its many special branches. Consultants will be present to answer inquiries. All the latest publications in the field will be on display. Some literature will be available free, and other publications will be on sale, frequently at special Conference prices.

Consultation Center also will include a spacious lounge equipped with comfortable chairs for between-meeting rests. At one corner of the lounge will be the now-famous Date Palm which has been the favorite meeting place of delegates at many recent Conferences. It is expected that the lounge will be the scene of sev-

eral public receptions of important leaders in the social work field during Conference Week.

The following organizations have reserved booths at Conference headquarters:

American Association of Medical Social Workers.  
 American Association of Psychiatric Social Workers.  
 American Association of Schools of Social Work.  
 American Association of Social Workers.  
 American Association of Visiting Teachers.  
 American Association on Mental Deficiency.  
 American Birth Control League.  
 American Home Economics Association, Home Economics in Social Work Department.  
 American Legion, National Child Welfare Division.  
 American National Red Cross.  
 American Public Welfare Association.  
 American Social Hygiene Association.  
 Association of Junior Leagues of America.  
 Big Brother and Big Sister Federation.  
 Child Welfare League of America.  
 Children's Bureau, United States Department of Labor.  
 Church Conference of Social Work of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America.  
 Church Mission of Help, National Council.  
 Clinical Psychology Group.  
 Columbia University Press.  
 Community Chests and Councils, Social Service Exchange Committee.  
 Cooperative Presses.  
 Episcopal Social Work Conference.  
 The Family.  
 Family Welfare Association of America.  
 International Labor Organization, Washington Office.  
 International Society for Crippled Children.  
 Joint Vocational Service.  
 Life Insurance Adjustment Bureau.  
 Mothers' Aid Association.  
 National Association for Travelers Aid and Transient Service.  
 National Board, Young Women's Christian Associations of the United States of America.  
 National Bureau of Economic Research.  
 National Bureau of Goodwill Industries.  
 National Catholic Welfare Conference, Social Action Department.  
 National Child Labor Committee.  
 National Committee for Mental Hygiene.  
 National Committee on Volunteers in Social Work.  
 National Conference of Jewish Social Service.  
 National Council, Young Men's Christian Associations of the United States of America.  
 National Federation of Day Nurseries.  
 National Federation of Settlements.  
 National Girls Work Council.  
 National Institute of Immigrant Welfare.  
 National Probation Association.  
 National Recreation Association.  
 National Society for the Prevention of Blindness.  
 National Tuberculosis Association.  
 National Urban League.  
 Russell Sage Foundation.  
 Russell Sage Foundation Publications.  
 Salvation Army.  
 Social Work Publicity Council.  
 Social Work Today.  
 The Survey.

## Edith Abbott Nominated

**N**EW candidates for the two ranking offices in the National Conference of Social Work were named by the Conference Executive Committee following the death February 2 of J. Prentice Murphy, who was the candidate for 1936-37 president.

Edith Abbott, dean of the Graduate School of Social Service Administration of the University of Chicago, is the new nominee for president. Dr. Solomon Lowenstein, executive vice-president of the Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies of New York City, is the new nominee for first vice-president. Miss Abbott had been nominee for first vice-president for 1936-37.

The death of Mr. Murphy created an unprecedented Conference election situation which was complicated by the fact that nominations in the regular constitutional manner had closed January 1. A ruling on procedure was obtained from Robert Kelso of Detroit, legal adviser to the Conference, and following this the Executive Committee was called into special session February 15 in Washington, D. C.

The Executive Committee voted unanimously to nominate Miss Abbott for the presidency and to name Dr. Lowenstein for the vice-presidency. Committee members expressed the belief that this action meets the wishes of the Conference membership.

One other change in the list of 1936 candidates arose after Josephine Roche, assistant secretary of the United States Treasury, declined the nomination as chairman of Section IV, Social Action. I. M. Rubinow, secretary of the B'nai B'rith, Cincinnati, was named in her place by the committee of Section IV. Miss Roche explained that the press of other duties prevented her accepting the nomination.

## Ballots Mailed

Official ballots for officers of the Conference were mailed in March.

The Election Committee cautioned members to keep in mind "important instructions" printed on the ballots, including:

1. Vote for all or as many candidates as desired, but indicate the order of preference with numbers rather than checks or crosses, as such marks invalidate ballots.
2. Sign ballot envelopes as indicated.
3. Ballots may be mailed to the Conference office if timed to arrive not later than May 14 or may be deposited at the election polls at Conference headquarters in Atlantic City Wednesday, May 27 from 9 o'clock a. m. to 1 p. m. and Thursday, May 28, from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m.
4. All ballot envelopes will be turned over to the Committee on Tellers May 28 unopened.

## London Conference

**O**NE hundred fifty residents of the United States already have indicated their intention of attending the Third International Conference of Social Work in London next July 12 to 17, and more than fifty have registered for the summer school session preceding the meeting, the United States Committee of the Conference announces.

The committee in this country, headed by Frank J. Bruno of St. Louis, still is working to reach the International Conference membership quota of 500, which has been set for the United States. The committee urges that memberships—which cost \$5 and cover a four-year period—be mailed at once to the office of the National Conference of Social Work in Columbus, Ohio. The fee entitles a member to the Proceedings, whether or not he attends the London session.

The theme of the International Conference will be "Social Work and the Community." The summer school session will deal with British social work and will include visits to social work centers.

As the meeting gets under way, five commissions will be organized to make special studies of health, education and recreation, material welfare, social adjustment and unemployment. Each delegate will be expected to participate in one of the commissions.

The daily schedule as announced follows:

Sunday, July 12—Meeting of the Permanent Committee; meetings of national delegations; reception of delegates.

Monday, July 13—Conference offices open for registration, information, etc.; General Session on "Social Work and the Community"; opening meetings of commissions.

Tuesday, July 14—Platform symposium on "Recent Changes in Local Community Life"; meetings of commissions.

Wednesday, July 15—General Session on "The Aesthetic, Social, Moral and Spiritual Effects upon Community Life of Social Services."

Thursday, July 16—All day excursion to Oxford and visits to social work centers and institutions in London.

Friday, July 17—Reports of commissions; Final General Session on "Summary of Results of Commissions."

Saturday, July 18—Meeting of Permanent Committee.

Another overseas meeting next summer will be the Third World Conference of the International Society for Crippled Children in Budapest June 29 to July 3. The society expressed the hope that many delegates to the Third International Conference of Social Work will be able to time their European trip so they also will be able to attend the conference in Hungary.



## THE PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

### *Sixty-third Annual Meeting*

## NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF SOCIAL WORK

and

## ASSOCIATE GROUPS

*Atlantic City, N. J.*

*May 24-30, 1936*

### General Sessions

**Sunday, May 24**

**8:30 P. M.**

Presidential Address: Democracy at the Crossroads.

The Very Reverend Monsignor Robert F. Keegan, Executive Director, Catholic Charities, New York City, and President, National Conference of Social Work.

**Monday, May 25**

**8:30 P. M.**

Public Welfare and Politics.

The Honorable Fiorello H. La Guardia, Mayor of the City of New York, New York City.

Edith Abbott, Dean, Graduate School of Social Service Administration, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois.

**Tuesday, May 26**

**8:30 P. M.**

International Peace and the Common Good.

Parker T. Moon, Professor of International Relations, Columbia University, New York City.

**Wednesday, May 27**

**11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.**

Annual Business Session.

**9:00 P. M.**

Reception to the President of the Conference.

**Friday, May 29**

**8:30 P. M.**

Government and the Common Welfare.

Harold W. Dodds, President, Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey.

**Saturday, May 30**

**1:00 P. M. Luncheon**

National Security—What Price?

Solomon Lowenstein, Executive Vice-President, Federation for the Support of Jewish Philanthropic Societies, New York City.

## The Sections

### SECTION I

#### SOCIAL CASE WORK

Ruth Blakeslee, Regional Social Worker, Federal Emergency Relief Administration, Washington, D. C., Chairman.

Monday, May 25

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

Security is both economic and social. Like insecurity it varies in degree and quality. The value of each in terms of education, industrial relationship, sex interests and family life; the differences between age groups, race, nationality, behavior, religion; public versus private effort; mental and physical health, physical and social handicaps; professional practices, standards and trends, has great significance for social workers.

Social Adjustment in Terms of Human Personality and Relationship.

Speaker to be announced.

Discussion Leader: Ora Pendleton, Assistant Secretary, Children's Bureau of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Tuesday, May 26

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

The needs of a community to be met by a comprehensive welfare program including public and private effort—health and educational activities, from the needs of the individuals to be assisted and the technical functional capacities to be developed by the organizations making available this assistance.

William H. Savin, Director, Family Service Association, Washington, D. C., presiding.

1. An Analysis of Needs of a Case Work Service.

Speaker to be announced.

2. Interpretation of Case Work Need to a Community. Development of and Coordination of Agencies and Functional Relationships to Meet These Needs.

Speaker to be announced.

Wednesday, May 27

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

#### Group Meeting 1.

The significance of standards in social case work; what they mean in terms of service to clients, the interpretation of them to communities, the use of standards as criteria of confidence. The relation of professional education to standards.

Rachel Childrey Gross, District Superintendent, Family Society, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, presiding.

1. What Is the Purpose and Value of Professional Standards in Case Work and How Can Such Standards Be Maintained?

Walter West, Executive Secretary, American Association of Social Workers, New York City.

2. How Is a Standard of Professional Training and Education Related to Good Professional Practice?

Speaker to be announced.

#### Group Meeting 2.

1. Educational Processes in Supervision and Class Instruction. Virginia Robinson, Associate Director, Philadelphia School of Social Work, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

2. Subject to be announced.

Fern Lowry, Instructor, New York School of Social Work, New York City.

#### Group Meeting 3.

Professional Education and Staff Instruction.

1. Professional Education and Its Applicability to Relief Administration. Antoinette Cannon, Instructor, New York School of Social Work, New York City.

2. Staff Instruction.

Speaker to be announced.

#### Group Meeting 4.

1. Some Experiments in Case Work with Children in Motherless Families.

Lorraine Jennrich, Supervisor, Motherless Family Department, Family Welfare Association, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

2. Some Factors in Selection and Supervision of Foster Homes.

Speaker to be announced.

#### Group Meeting 5.

Two papers presenting the results of complimentary aspects of a joint effort at evaluation of case work.

1. From a Logical Point of View as Developed in a Seminar.

Maurice Taylor, Assistant Executive Director, Federation of Jewish Philanthropies, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

2. From a Statistical Approach.

Henry B. Elkind, M.D., Medical Director, Massachusetts Society for Mental Hygiene, Boston, Massachusetts.

Thursday, May 28

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

Contribution of Case Work to the Administration of Social Insurance.

1. A Critical Analysis of Some European Experiments in Social Insurance, Pension and Public Assistance Measures.

Hertha Kraus, Department of Social Work, Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

2. A Psychiatrist's Evaluation of the Individual Needs Met and Those Not Met in a Social Insurance Program. Treatment of the Malingering—Development of Work Incentives, etc.

Speaker to be announced.

Friday, May 29

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

#### Group Meeting 1.

Selection of Case Work Personnel.

1. Technique of Interviewing or Examining Applicants for Placement to Determine Reliable Evaluations of Ability and Potentialities of Case Workers. The Applicability of This Process of Selection to a Civil Service System.

Speaker to be announced.

2. Selection of Applicants for Case Work Training in Schools of Social Work.

Speaker to be announced.

#### Group Meeting 2.

1. Early Interviews as They Indicate Acceptance or Refusal for Treatment.

Speaker to be announced.

2. Factors in Treatability.

Speaker to be announced.

#### Group Meeting 3.

Elizabeth Dexter, Field Representative, Temporary Emergency Relief Administration, New York City, presiding.

Relationship as a Tool in Supervision.

Florence Hollis, Cleveland Institute of Family Service, Cleveland, Ohio.

#### Group Discussion 4.

Relationship as a Tool in Supervision.

#### Group Discussion 5.

The Case Worker Interprets Her Job to the Community.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

Saturday, May 30

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

1. Evaluation of the Tempering of Social Case Work Under the Pressures of the Last Few Years. What of Our Professional Attributes Have Been Retarded and in What Have Special Opportunities for Experimentation Been Afforded.

Speaker to be announced.

2. Redefining Our Objectives.

Speaker to be announced.



## SECTION II

### SOCIAL GROUP WORK

Grace L. Coyle, Assistant Professor, Course in Group Work, School of Applied Social Sciences, Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio, Chairman.

#### Monday, May 25

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

Modern Educational Methods in the Group Work Agency.

1. Group Activity as an Outgrowth of Individual Interests.  
Joshua Leiberman, Director, Camp Robinson Crusoe, Sturbridge, Massachusetts.
2. Dramatics and Personality Growth.  
Charlotte Chorprenning, Kenneth Sawyer Goodman Memorial Theatre, Chicago, Illinois.
3. The House Council as Experience in Democracy.  
Samuel Levine, Council Educational Alliance, Cleveland, Ohio.

#### Tuesday, May 26

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

##### Group Meeting 1.

Neva Deardorff, M.D., Director, Research Bureau, Welfare Council, New York City, presiding.

Recording in Group Work.

1. Methods of Record Keeping of Individual Contacts and Group Behavior.  
Gertrude Wilson, Group Work Course, School of Applied Social Sciences, Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio.
2. Reporting the Activities of Group Work Agencies.  
Frances L. Adkins, Council of Social Agencies, Chicago, Illinois.

##### Group Meeting 2.

(Joint Session with the National Committee on Volunteers in Social Work.)

Helen Morton, Executive Secretary, National Student Council, Young Women's Christian Association, New York City, presiding.

The Training of Group Leaders.

1. What a Volunteer Wants in Preparation for Group Leadership.  
Speaker to be announced.
2. Some Experiments in the Training of Group Leaders.  
Louis Kraft, Jewish Welfare Board, New York City.  
Agnes Leahy, National Girl Scouts, New York City.  
Mrs. P. H. Valentine, Smith Memorial Playgrounds and Playhouses, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

##### Group Meeting 3.

(Joint Session with the National Probation Association.)

R. K. Atkinson, Educational Director, Boys' Clubs of America, New York City, presiding.

Group Work and Delinquency.

1. The Use of a Combined Group and Case Approach in the Treatment of Delinquency.  
Robert Taber, Council of Social Agencies, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
2. An Experiment in a Neighborhood Approach to the Delinquent.  
H. H. Waltz, Children's Bureau, United States Department of Labor, Washington, D. C.
3. Group Work in the Los Angeles County Coordinating Councils.  
Speaker to be announced.

The following three group discussions will all deal with the same subject, the defining of objectives. They will give opportunity for the expression of opinion from different organizations and individuals, will try to discover points of agreement and disagreement and will attempt to stimulate and clarify thinking on the aims of group work.

##### Group Discussion 4.

Defining Objectives in Group Work.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

##### Group Discussion 5.

Defining Objectives in Group Work.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

##### Group Discussion 6.

Defining Objectives in Group Work.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

#### Wednesday, May 27

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

This session will be a panel discussion bringing together the results of the three small groups of the previous day and of similar discussions in several communities, and setting forth the points of agreement and disagreement and the clarification so far arrived at for discussion by the whole session.

Clara A. Kaiser, New York School of Social Work, New York City, presiding.

Defining Objectives in Group Work.

Panel Participants to be announced.

#### Thursday, May 28

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

Education for Social Participation.

1. Methods of Educating for Social Participation.  
Eleanor Coit, Affiliated Schools for Workers, New York City.
2. The Consequences of Social Action for the Group Work Agency.  
Helen Hall, Henry Street Settlement, New York City.

#### Friday, May 29

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

##### Group Meeting 1.

Arch Mandel, Executive Secretary, Bureau of Community Service, Dayton, Ohio, presiding.

The Relation of Public and Private Agencies in the Field of Group Work.

1. Developing Methods in Public Recreation.  
V. F. Hernlund, Chicago Park District Administration, Chicago, Illinois.
2. The Distinctive Functions of the Private Agency.  
Roy Sorenson, Assistant General Secretary, National Council Young Men's Christian Associations, Chicago, Illinois.

##### Group Meeting 2.

Problems in Group Formation.

1. The So-Called "Natural Group" as the Basis of Club Organization.  
Paul Weinandy, College of Education, University High School, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio.
2. Specialized Interest as the Basis of Group Organization.  
William Kolodny, Young Men's Hebrew Association, New York City.

##### Group Meeting 3.

Research in Group Work.

Methods of Evaluation in Group Work.

Arthur Swift, Union Theological Seminary, New York City.

##### Group Meeting 4.

(Joint Session with Social Work Publicity Council.)

Interpreting Group Work to the Public.

1. Essentials in a Year Round Program of Interpretation.  
Eleanor Eells, Association House, Chicago, Illinois.
2. Focal Points of Emphasis in Character Building Interpretation in 1936-37.  
Speaker to be announced.

##### Group Meeting 5.

The Training of the Professional Group Worker.

1. Procedures for Training of Prospective Supervisors in Group Work.  
Hedley Dimock, George Williams College, Chicago, Illinois.
2. The Education of Supervisors on the Job.  
Stuart Burgess, Temple University, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

**Group Meeting 6.**

The Relation of the Group Leader to the Individual Member.  
Speakers to be announced.

**Group Meeting 7.**

The Educational Program of the C. C. C. Camps.

1. Objectives of the C. C. C. Educational Program.  
Howard W. Oxley, United States Department of the Interior,  
Office of Education, Washington, D. C.
2. Subject and speaker to be announced.

Saturday, May 30

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

Youth Programs—Under What Auspices?

1. Governments in Their Relation to Youth.  
Speaker to be announced.
2. Youth Speaks for Itself. The Significance of the American Youth Congress.  
Joseph Lash, Executive Council, American Youth Congress;  
League for Industrial Democracy, New York City.
3. The Place of the Private Group Work Agency in the Program of Youth.  
Lucy Carner, National Board, Young Women's Christian Associations, New York City.

**SECTION III****COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION**

Ralph H. Blanchard, Administrative Director, Community Chests and Councils, New York City, Chairman.

Monday, May 25

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

Joel D. Hunter, General Superintendent, United Charities, Chicago, Illinois, presiding.

Putting the Social Security Act into Effect.

1. Present Extent of State Participation under the Act.  
Joel D. Hunter, General Superintendent, United Charities, Chicago, Illinois.
2. Administrative Functions and Policies of Federal Agencies Administering the Social Security Act.  
Frank Bane, Executive Director, Social Security Board, Washington, D. C.
3. Problems Confronting State Welfare Administrations in Accepting Grants-in-Aid.  
Harry Greenstein, Executive Director, Associated Jewish Charities; State Relief Administrator, Board of Health Aid and Charities, Baltimore, Maryland.
4. The Concern of the Local Community in State Participation.  
Wilfred S. Reynolds, Director, Council of Social Agencies, Chicago, Illinois.

Tuesday, May 26

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

**Group Meeting 1.**

(Joint Session with the Social Work Publicity Council.)

Natalie W. Linderholm, Extension Secretary, Family Welfare Society, Boston, Massachusetts, presiding.

The Interpretation of Social Case Work.

1. Is Public Understanding of Social Case Work Increasing?  
Hilary Campbell, Editor, News Bulletin, Social Work Publicity Council, New York City.
2. Public Confidence in Social Case Work as a Goal.  
Arch Mandel, Executive Secretary, Bureau of Community Service, Dayton, Ohio.

**Group Meeting 2.**

(Joint Session with National Committee on Volunteers in Social Work.)  
Lay Participation in Social Planning.

Speakers to be announced.

**Group Meeting 3.**

(Joint Session with Community Chests and Councils, Social Service Exchange Committee.)

Elwood Street, Director of Public Welfare, District of Columbia, Washington, D. C., presiding.

The Social Service Index in the Future Community Organization Picture.

Speakers to be announced.

**Group Meeting 4.**

(Joint Session with Committee on Care of Transients and Homeless and National Association for Travelers' Aid and Transient Service.)

Methods and Responsibilities for Coordinating Local, State and National Programs for Transients.

Homer W. Borst, Executive Secretary, Community Chest, New Haven, Connecticut.

Joanna C. Colcord, Director, Charity Organization Department, Russell Sage Foundation, New York City.

Discussant:

George Rabinoff, Associate Director, National Council of Jewish Federations and Welfare Funds, New York City.

**Group Meeting 5.**

(Joint Session with American Association of Medical Social Workers.)  
Edith M. Baker, Director of Social Service, Washington University Clinics, St. Louis, Missouri, presiding.

Community Organization for Medical Care.

Speaker to be announced.

Wednesday, May 27

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

Bradley Buell, Field Director, Community Chests and Councils, New York City, presiding.

Fact-Finding and Local Community Organization: New Facts and New Significances.

1. What Do We Need to Know Now?  
Shelby M. Harrison, General Director, Russell Sage Foundation, New York City.
2. How Can We Make Most Effective Use of What We Know?  
Linn Brandenburg, Director, Bureau of Statistics and Research, Council of Social Agencies, Chicago, Illinois.
3. How Can We Finance an Adequate Program of Local Fact Finding?  
Harry M. Carey, Executive Secretary, Providence Community Fund, Providence, Rhode Island.

Thursday, May 28

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

Samuel A. Goldsmith, Executive Director, Jewish Charities, Chicago, Illinois, presiding.

The Areas of Responsibility of Voluntary Social Work During the Period of Changing Local and National Governmental Programs.

Neva R. Deardorff, M.D., Director of Research, Welfare Council, New York City.

I. M. Rubinow, National Director, Independent Order B'nai B'rith, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Friday, May 29

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

Pierce Atwater, Executive Secretary, Community Chest, St. Paul, Minnesota, presiding.

Federal, State and Local Organization of Tax Supported Social Work.

1. Subject to be announced.  
Mary Irene Atkinson, Director, Child Welfare Division, Children's Bureau, Department of Labor, Washington, D. C.
2. Subject and speaker to be announced.



Saturday, May 30

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

The Reverend Lucian L. Lauerman, The Catholic University of America, Washington, D. C., presiding.

The Neighborhood Approach in Community Organization.

1. Community Elements in Census Tract Neighborhoods.  
Howard W. Green, Secretary, Health Council, Cleveland, Ohio.
2. The Organization of Communal Neighborhoods.  
Arthur A. Guild, Director, Richmond Community Fund, Richmond, Virginia.

Discussion Leader: Roy Sorenson, Assistant General Secretary, National Council, Young Men's Christian Associations, Chicago, Illinois.

#### SECTION IV SOCIAL ACTION

Leifur Magnusson, Director, Washington Branch, International Labor Organization, Washington, D. C., Chairman.

Monday, May 25

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

Theoretical Analysis of Causes of Economic Distress.

1. Economic and Industrial Causes.  
Karl Pribram, Brookings Institution, Washington, D. C.
2. Social and Personal Causes.  
Ewan Clague, Pennsylvania School of Social Work, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Tuesday, May 26

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

Social Values of National Labor Boards.

The Reverend Frederic Siedenbueg, Executive Dean, University of Detroit, Detroit, Michigan.

Wednesday, May 27

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

What of the Minimum Wage?

1. Theory and Practice in Minimum Wage Policies.  
Speaker to be announced.
2. Minimum Wage: The Home Worker and the Union Worker.  
Dorothy Sells, National Resources Committee, Washington, D. C.

Thursday, May 28

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

Stimulating Employment.

1. Economic Effects of the Thirty Hour Week and Stimulation of Industry.  
Speaker to be announced.
2. Increasing Consumer Demand.  
Clark Warburton, Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation, Washington, D. C.

Friday, May 29

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

Social Significance of the Social Security Act.

1. Objectives and Social Effects of the Public Assistance and Old Age Provisions.  
Frederick Dewhurst, Committee on Social Security, Social Science Research Council, Washington, D. C.
2. Unemployment Compensation and Its Unsolved Economic and Social Problems.  
Joseph P. Harris, Committee on Public Administration, Social Science Research Council, Washington, D. C.

Saturday, May 30

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

Utilizing American Political Machinery to Secure Social Action.

1. Technique of Utilizing American Political Machinery to Secure Social Action.  
John B. Andrews, American Association for Labor Legislation, New York City.
2. The Contribution of Social Workers to the Present Federal Administration.  
Grace Abbott, Professor of Public Welfare Administration, School of Social Service Administration, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois.

## The Committees

### COMMITTEE ON THE AMERICAN INDIAN

Lawrence E. Lindley, Representative, Indian Rights Association, Washington, D. C., Chairman.

Thursday, May 28

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

The Government Indian Day School as a Community Center.

1. Education for the Whole Community.  
Willard W. Beatty, Director of Indian Education, Office of Indian Affairs, Washington, D. C.
2. Among the Navajos.  
Speaker to be announced.
3. In the Sioux Country.  
Joe Jennings, Superintendent of Indian Schools in South Dakota, Pine Ridge, South Dakota.
4. The Task of the Social Worker.  
May Bratton, Winnebago Indian Agency, Winnebago, Nebraska.
5. Subject to be announced.  
Gladys Tantaquidgeon, Indian Assistant Social Worker, Rosebud Indian Agency, Rosebud, South Dakota.

7:00 P. M. Dinner

Informal Program.

Friday, May 29

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

The Indian Community.

1. Cooperation for Economic Development.  
Speaker to be announced.
2. Adjustment Problems in the Mixed Blood Community.  
Ray A. Brown, Professor of Law, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wisconsin.

### COMMITTEE ON THE CURRENT RELIEF SITUATION

Charles C. Stillman, Director, School of Social Administration, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, Chairman.

The Committee will meet at 11:00 A. M. on Thursday, May 28, Friday, May 29, and Saturday, May 30.

Our effort will be to secure a balanced presentation of important problems confronting the country in the field of relief. The viewpoint of the national administration will be presented. The recommendations of the American Association of Social Workers will be explored. Both theoretical and practical issues will be brought to the attention of the Conference.

### COMMITTEE ON INSTITUTIONAL TREATMENT AND AFTER CARE OF THE JUVENILE DELINQUENT

John A. Eisenhower, Superintendent, Cleveland Boys' Farm, Hudson, Ohio, Chairman.

Thursday, May 28

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

An Examination of Aims Underlying the Re-Direction of the Individual Delinquent.

The Institution as an Interlude in Community Adjustment of Problem and Delinquent Children.

Calvin Derrick, Superintendent, State Home for Boys, Jamesburg, New Jersey.

Discussants:

Leon C. Faulkner, Managing Director, The Children's Village, Dobbs Ferry, New York.  
John L. Montgomery, Executive Secretary, The Monmouth County Organization for Social Service, Red Bank, New Jersey.  
Emily F. Morrison, Superintendent, Sleighton Farm, Darlington, Delaware County, Pennsylvania.  
James S. Owens, Superintendent, State Agricultural and Industrial School, Industry, New York.

## Friday, May 29

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

Katharine F. Lenroot, Chief, Children's Bureau, United States Department of Labor, Washington, D. C., presiding.

An Evaluation of Newer Trends in Institutional and After-Care Treatment of Delinquents.

1. Some Newer Aspects of Institutional Care in a Community Program of Delinquency Prevention and Treatment.  
Harrison Allen Dobbs, Associate Professor of Social Economy, School of Social Service Administration, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois.

2. The Relationship Between the Institutional Program and After-Care.

Herbert D. Williams, Superintendent, New York Training School for Boys, State School, Orange County, New York.

## Discussants:

John Slawson, Executive Director, Jewish Board of Guardians, New York City.

Caroline deFord Penniman, Superintendent, Long Lane Farm, Middletown, Connecticut.

H. V. Bastin, Superintendent, Ormsby Village, Anchorage, Kentucky.

## COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC WELFARE PERSONNEL

Ellen C. Potter, M.D., Director of Medicine, Department Institutions and Agencies, Trenton, New Jersey, Chairman.

(All Sessions joint with the American Public Welfare Association.)

## Tuesday, May 26

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

Administrative Personnel in the Field of Public Welfare.

How May Administrative Skill Combined with Professional Competence Be Secured for State and Local Public Welfare Service?

Speaker to be announced.

## Thursday, May 28

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with the National Committee on Volunteers in Social Work. See their program.)

Citizens' Boards in Relation to Public Welfare Administration.

## Friday, May 29

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

Kenneth L. M. Pray, Dean, Pennsylvania School of Social Work, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, presiding.

Public Welfare Personnel.

1. Public Welfare Administration and the Skills It Demands.  
William J. Ellis, Commissioner, Department of Institutions and Agencies, Trenton, New Jersey.
2. Practical Difficulties Involved in Securing Public Welfare Personnel.

Speaker to be announced.

## Saturday, May 30

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

Public Welfare Personnel.

1. Lessons Learned in the Application of the Merit System to Municipal Public Welfare Personnel.  
Harrison Allen Dobbs, Associate Professor of Social Work, School of Social Service Administration, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois.
2. Subject and speaker to be announced.

## COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL ASPECTS OF CHILDREN'S INSTITUTIONS

H. W. Hopkirk, Superintendent, Albany Home for Children, Albany, New York, Chairman.

## Monday, May 25

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

Vocational Guidance and Training as Part of an Institution's Responsibilities.

Speaker to be announced.

## Wednesday, May 27

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

Coordination of Institutional Care with Other Services, Especially Foster Care in Family Homes.

Sybil Foster, Field Secretary, Child Welfare League of America, New York City.

## COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL ASPECTS OF PUBLIC HOUSING

The Reverend Edward Roberts Moore, Director, Division of Social Action, The Catholic Charities, New York City, Chairman.

## Monday, May 25

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

Harold S. Buttenheim, Editor, "The American City," Chairman, Housing Section, Welfare Council of New York City, New York City, presiding.

Community Environment in the New Housing.

1. Does the Small Town Provide a Desirable Standard of Normal Community Life?  
Clarence A. Perry, Associate Director, Recreation Department, Russell Sage Foundation, New York City.
2. How Can Normal Community Life Be Developed in the New Housing?  
Abraham Goldfeld, Executive Director, Fred L. Lavanburg Foundation, New York City.

## Tuesday, May 26

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

Health and the New Housing.

1. A Cooperative Health Program for a Large Scale Urban Low Cost Housing Project.  
Nathan Sinai, M.D., Division of Hygiene and Public Health, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.
2. Health Benefits from Better Housing.  
Haven Emerson, M.D., Institute of Public Health, Columbia University College of Physicians and Surgeons, New York City.

## COMMITTEE ON THE SOCIAL TREATMENT OF CRIME

Jane M. Hoey, Director, Bureau of Public Assistance, Social Security Board, Washington, D. C., Chairman.

## Monday, May 25

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with the National Probation Association.)

Social Work Basis for Prevention and Treatment of Delinquency and Crime.

1. Community Factors.  
Speaker to be announced.
2. Individual Factors.  
John Slawson, Executive Secretary, Jewish Board of Guardians, New York City.

## Tuesday, May 26

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

(Joint Session with the National Probation Association.)

Practical Difficulties in Social Approach to Prevention and Treatment of Delinquency and Crime.

Austin McCormick, Commissioner, Department of Correction, New York City.

## Associate and Special Groups

### AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR LABOR LEGISLATION

John B. Andrews, Secretary, American Association for Labor Legislation,  
New York City, Chairman.

Friday, May 29

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with Section IV, Social Action. See their program.)  
Social Significance of the Social Security Act.

3:00 P. M.-4:30 P. M.

1. A Panel Discussion on Social Security. Your Questions Answered.

Panel Participants:

Spencer Miller, Jr., Director, Workers Education Bureau, New York City.

Glenn A. Bowers, Director, Unemployment Insurance, New York City.

Bryce Stewart, Industrial Relations Counsellors.

I. S. Falk, Milbank Memorial Fund (Health).

Walter Gellhorn, Columbia Law School (Accidents), New York City.

J. Douglas Brown, Princeton University (Old Age).

Gladys Dickason, Research Director, Amalgamated Clothing Workers.

Carter Goodrich, Study of Population Redistribution.

2. Report on Procedure and Immediate Prospects for the Adoption of Labor Treaties by the United States as a Member of the I. L. O.

Speaker to be announced.

Saturday, May 30

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

(Joint Session with Section IV, Social Action. See their program.)  
Utilizing American Political Machinery to Secure Social Action.

### AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF MEDICAL SOCIAL WORKERS

Kathleen Allen, Research Bureau, Welfare Council of New York City,  
New York City, Chairman.

Monday, May 25

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

Lena R. Waters, President, American Association of Medical Social Workers, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, presiding.

Annual Business Meeting.

Tuesday, May 26

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

(Joint Session with Section III—Community Organization, Group Meeting 5. See their program.)

Community Organization for Medical Care.

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

Lena R. Waters, President, American Association of Medical Social Workers, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, presiding.

The Federal Program for Crippled Children.

Robert C. Hood, Director of Program for Crippled Children, Children's Bureau, Department of Labor, Washington, D. C.

Wednesday, May 27

3:00 P. M.-4:30 P. M.

Group Discussion 1.

Medical Care for the Transient.

Discussion Leader: Mary Wysor Keefer, Medical Social Worker, University of Chicago Clinics, Chicago, Illinois.

Group Discussion 2.

The Medical Social Worker in Research.

Discussion Leader: Neva R. Deardorff, M.D., Director, Research Bureau, Welfare Council, New York City.

Group Discussion 3.

Functions.

Discussion Leader: Ruth E. Lewis, Associate Director, Department of Social Work, Washington University Clinics and Allied Hospitals, St. Louis, Missouri.

Group Discussion 4.

The Education of the Staff Member.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

Group Discussion 5.

Recording.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

Group Discussion 6.

Program to be announced.

Thursday, May 28

7:00 P. M. Dinner.

Subject to be announced.

Janet Thornton, Director of Medical Social Service, Presbyterian Hospital, New York City.

### AMERICAN ASSOCIATION ON MENTAL DEFICIENCY

Florentine Hackbusch, Bureau of Mental Health, Department of Welfare,  
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania, Chairman.

Thursday, May 28

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

The Mental Defective in the Community.

1. Standards of Success in Community Adjustment of Paroled Feeble-minded Children.

Mildred H. Ainsworth, Chief Social Worker, Wayne County Training School, Northville, Michigan.

2. Leisure Time Programs.

Ruth A. Gegenheimer, Head Social Worker, Walter E. Fernald School, Waverly, Massachusetts.

3. Work and Wages.

Mildred Thomson, State Department of Public Institutions, St. Paul, Minnesota.

Caroline Perkins, State Department of Public Institutions, St. Paul, Minnesota.

Discussant:

Abigail Brownell, Director, County Agency Department, Children's Aid Society of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

### AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF PSYCHIATRIC SOCIAL WORKERS

Marcella S. Farrar, School of Applied Social Sciences, Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio, Chairman.

Monday, May 25

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with the American Association of Visiting Teachers. See their program.)

The Visiting Teacher in a Community Program.



## Tuesday, May 26

## 2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

Charlotte Towle, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois, presiding.

## Differential Approach in Treatment.

## Clients' Needs as a Basis for Differential Approach in Treatment.

Fern Lowry, New York School of Social Work, New York City.

## Discussant:

Ruth Gartland, School of Applied Social Sciences, Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio.

## 4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

Sarah Ivins, New York School of Social Work, New York City, presiding.

## Business Meeting.

## Wednesday, May 27

## 3:00 P. M.-4:30 P. M.

Fern Lowry, New York School of Social Work, New York City, presiding.

## Differential Approach in Treatment.

## 1. Indirect or Environmental Treatment Approach as Determined by Clients' Needs.

Florence Hollis, Cleveland Institute of Family Service, Cleveland, Ohio.

## Discussant:

Grace Marcus, Charity Organization Society, New York City.

## 2. Intensive or Direct Treatment Approach as Determined by Clients' Needs.

Beatrice Wajdyk, The Family Society of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

## Thursday, May 28

## 2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

## Differential Approach in Treatment.

## 1. The Approach to the Clients' Needs as It Is Conditioned by the Function of the Agency.

Marcella S. Farrar, School of Applied Social Sciences, Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio.

## Discussant:

Almena Dawley, Philadelphia Child Guidance Clinic, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

## 2. The Approach to the Clients' Needs as It Is Conditioned by the Equipment of the Worker.

Ruth Smalley, Visiting Teacher Department, Board of Education, Rochester, New York.

## Discussant:

Lucille Austin, New York School of Social Work, New York City.

## 7:00 P. M. Dinner

Sarah Ivins, New York School of Social Work, New York City, presiding.

## Subject to be announced.

John Dollard, Institute of Human Relations, Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut.

## AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOLS OF SOCIAL WORK

Elizabeth Wisner, Director, School of Social Work, Tulane University, New Orleans, Louisiana, Chairman.

## Wednesday, May 27

## 1:00 P. M. Luncheon.

## Business Meeting.

## 1. Report of Curriculum Committee.

R. Clyde White, Associate Professor of Sociology, Indiana University Training Course for Social Work, Indianapolis, Indiana, Chairman.

## 2. Report of Committee on Extra-Mural Teaching.

Florence Sytz, School of Social Work, Tulane University, New Orleans, Louisiana, Chairman.

## Thursday, May 28

## 2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

## Round Table Discussion.

## Range of Experience in the Field Work Program.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

## 4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

## Round Table Discussion.

S. K. Kohns, Graduate School of Jewish Social Work, New York City, presiding.

## The Teaching of Social Statistics.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

## 7:00 P. M. Dinner.

## Professional Preparation for Personnel in the Social Security Program.

Ewan Clague, Assistant Director of Research, Social Security Board, Washington, D. C.

Grace Abbott, Professor of Public Welfare Administration, School of Social Service Administration, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois.

## Friday, May 29

## 3:00 P. M.-4:30 P. M.

## Round Table Discussion.

Leila Kinney, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio, presiding.

## Public Welfare Administration and Public Administration: Their Interrelationship.

## Discussant:

Hertha Kraus, Margaret Morrison College of Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

## AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF SOCIAL WORKERS

Walter M. West, Executive Director, American Association of Social Workers, New York City, Chairman.

The schedule of meetings is as follows: Tuesday, May 26, 2:00 P. M. and Thursday, May 28, 9:00 A. M. and 2:00 P. M. Report on program was not received in time for inclusion in this Bulletin.

## AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF VISITING TEACHERS

Marion N. Echols, Visiting Teacher, Madison Public Schools, Madison, New Jersey, Chairman.

## Monday, May 25

## 2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

## (Joint Session with American Association of Psychiatric Social Workers.)

## 1. The Visiting Teacher in a Community Program.

Lois Meredith French, New Jersey State Normal School, Newark, New Jersey.

## 2. Subject and speaker to be announced.

## Wednesday, May 27

## 1:00 P. M. Luncheon.

## 1. Changing Concepts in Visiting Teacher Work.

Gladys Hall, President, American Association of Visiting Teachers, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois.

## 2. Subject and speaker to be announced.

## AMERICAN BIRTH CONTROL LEAGUE

Clarence C. Little, President, American Birth Control League, New York City, Chairman.

Tuesday, May 26

4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

What part does the social worker take in birth control service? Is there an unteachable group? Is the recommended method practical for uneducated mothers? Case histories will be cited.

Carol K. Nash, Field Secretary, New York City Committee of the American Birth Control League, New York City, presiding.

Birth Control as a Modern Therapy in Social Adjustment.

1. How to Make Birth Control Advice Available in Suburban Communities.  
Mrs. Caleb S. Green, President, New Jersey Birth Control League, Trenton, New Jersey.
2. Birth Control Service in Mining Regions.  
Doris Davidson, Field Representative, American Birth Control League, New York City.
3. The Hospital and Birth Control Service.  
Edith W. Johnson, Director, Out Patient and Social Service Departments, Mountainside Hospital, Montclair, New Jersey.
4. The Negro Mother's Response to Birth Control.  
James H. Hubert, Executive Director, New York Urban League, New York City.

Thursday, May 28

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

A discussion of contraceptive methods, the "safe period," clinic set-up, referral of patients, follow-up, etc.

Eric M. Matsner, M.D., Medical Director, American Birth Control League, New York City, presiding.

The Medical Social Worker and Birth Control.

1. Clinical Birth Control Service in New Jersey.  
Hannah M. Stone, M.D., Medical Director, Birth Control Clinical Research Bureau and New Jersey Birth Control League, New York City.
2. Subject and speaker to be announced.

Friday, May 29

1:00 P. M.-2:30 P. M. Luncheon.

The basic needs for birth control in family and national security.

Birth Control in the Social Crisis.

1. Birth Control and National Security.  
James H. S. Bossard, Professor of Sociology, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
2. Birth Control in Relation to the Security of the Family.  
Ruth Brickner, M.D., Director, Consultation Service, Child Study Association of America, New York City.

## AMERICAN HOME ECONOMICS ASSOCIATION, HOME ECONOMICS IN SOCIAL WORK DEPARTMENT

Elizabeth Guilford, Welfare Division, Metropolitan Life Insurance Company, New York City.

Helen Stacey, Visiting, American Telephone and Telegraph Company, New York City.

Monday, May 25

2:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

Attendance limited to 25. Those wishing to attend must register at the booth at Conference Headquarters.

Case Discussion for Home Economists in Social Agencies.

Discussion leader to be announced.

Tuesday, May 26

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

Special Diets in Relief Allowances.

Speaker to be announced.

Thursday, May 28

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

1. Foundation Stones in Relief Administration and Family Rehabilitation.  
Edward Lynde, Director, Welfare Federation, Cleveland, Ohio.
2. Subject and speaker to be announced.

## AMERICAN LEGION, NATIONAL CHILD WELFARE DIVISION

Emma C. Puschner, Director, American Legion National Child Welfare Division, Indianapolis, Indiana, Chairman.

Wednesday, May 27

1:00 P. M. Luncheon.

Adequate and Protected Public Welfare Standards in the States.

1. The Situation in the States at Present.  
Katharine F. Lenroot, Chief, Children's Bureau, United States Department of Labor, Washington, D. C.
2. The American Legion Gives Its Support.  
Sam A. Loveman, American Legion Eastern Area Child Welfare Chairman, Toms River, New Jersey.

Discussant:

Mrs. Maurice Barr, American Legion Auxiliary National Child Welfare Chairman, Princeton, Indiana.

## AMERICAN NATIONAL RED CROSS

J. Blaine Gwin, Director of Personnel, American Red Cross, Washington, D. C., Chairman.

Friday, May 29

1:00 P. M.-2:30 P. M. Luncheon.

Mabel T. Boardman, Director, Volunteer Service, American Red Cross, Washington, D. C., presiding.

1. Attitudes and Habits as They Relate to the Prevention of Accidents.  
Speaker to be announced.
2. The Youth in Training for Social Service Through the Junior Red Cross.  
Thomas W. Gosling, Director, Junior Red Cross, Washington, D. C.

## AMERICAN PUBLIC WELFARE ASSOCIATION

Fred Hoehler, Director, American Public Welfare Association, Chicago, Illinois, Chairman.

Friday, May 22

9:00 A. M.

William J. Ellis, Commissioner, Department of Institutions and Agencies, Trenton, New Jersey, presiding.

Social Security Program.

1. Subject to be announced.  
Frank Bane, Executive Director of the Social Security Board, Washington, D. C.
2. Subject to be announced.  
Helen Jeter, Social Security Board, Washington, D. C.

**1:00 P. M. Luncheon.**

Blanche L. LaDu, President, American Public Welfare Association, St. Paul, Minnesota, presiding.

**Child Welfare Aspects of the Social Security Program.**

1. Maternal and Child Welfare.  
Katharine F. Lenroot, Chief, United States Children's Bureau, Department of Labor, Washington, D. C.
2. Maternal and Child Health, and Crippled Children.  
Martha M. Eliot, Assistant Chief, United States Children's Bureau, Department of Labor, Washington, D. C.

**3:00 P. M.**

Blanche L. LaDu, President, American Public Welfare Association, St. Paul, Minnesota, presiding.

**Business Meeting.****8:00 P. M.**

Ellen C. Potter, M.D., Director of Medicine, Department of Institutions and Agencies, Trenton, New Jersey, presiding.

**Public Welfare Personnel.**

1. Subject to be announced.  
Leonard D. White, Commissioner, United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.
2. Subject and speaker to be announced.

**Saturday, May 23****9:00 A. M.****Public Relief.**

Speaker to be announced.

**12:30 P. M. Luncheon.**

(Joint Session with the National Probation Association. See their program.)

**Progress in Crime Prevention.****3:00 P. M.****Group Discussion 1.**

(Joint Session with National Probation Association.)

**Parole Probation in Public Welfare.**

Discussion Leader: Sanford Bates, Director, Bureau of Prisons, Department of Justice, Washington, D. C.

**Group Discussion 2.**

(Joint Session with National Probation Association.)

**Public Welfare and Law Enforcement.**

Discussion Leader: Justin Miller, Chairman, The Attorney General's Advisory Committee on Crime, Department of Justice, Washington, D. C.

**Group Discussion.**

(Joint Session with the National Probation Association, Group Discussion 1. See their program.)

**The Problem of Intake.****Group Discussion.**

(Joint Session with the National Probation Association, Group Discussion 2. See their program.)

**Relation of the Probation Officer to the Client.****7:00 P. M. Dinner.****New Developments in the Social Security Program.**

1. Subject to be announced.  
John G. Winant, Chairman, Social Security Board, Washington, D. C.
2. Subject to be announced.  
Josephine Roche, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C.

**Monday, May 25****4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.**

(Joint Session with the Mothers Aid Association. See their program.)  
What Should Our Developments Be Now That We Have Federal Cooperation in Mother's Aid.

**Tuesday, May 26****11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.**

(Joint Session with the Committee on Public Welfare Personnel. See their program.)

**Administrative Personnel in the Field of Public Welfare.****2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.**

(Joint Session with the Social Work Publicity Council. See their program.)

**The Interpretation of Social Security.****Friday, May 29****9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.**

(Joint Session with the Committee on Public Welfare Personnel. See their program.)

**Public Welfare Personnel.****Saturday, May 30****9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.**

(Joint Session with the Committee on Public Welfare Personnel. See their program.)

**Public Welfare Personnel.****AMERICAN SOCIAL HYGIENE ASSOCIATION**

Jean B. Pinney, American Social Hygiene Association, New York City, Chairman.

**Wednesday, May 27****1:00 P. M. Luncheon.**

(Joint Session with the National Association for Travelers Aid and Transient Service. See their program.)

**The Transient and Public Health.****BIG BROTHER AND BIG SISTER FEDERATION**

Rowland C. Sheldon, Executive Secretary, Big Brother and Big Sister Federation, New York City, Chairman.

**Monday, May 25****2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.**

A. S. Chenoweth, Superintendent of Schools, Atlantic City, New Jersey, presiding.

**Selection and Treatment of Problem Children.**

1. A Study of Problem Children in Atlantic City—and Elsewhere.  
Rowland C. Sheldon, Executive Secretary, Big Brother and Big Sister Federation, New York City.
2. A Program for Negro Children.

Charlotte Ellis, Executive Secretary, Colored Big Sisters, Urban League, Columbus, Ohio.

**Discussant:**

Lucy Quinn, Director of Special Classes, Atlantic City Public Schools, Atlantic City, New Jersey.

**4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.**

Charles Edwin Fox, President, Big Brother Association, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, presiding.

1. The Use of Big Brothers for Older Boys.  
Isadore Gandel, Executive Secretary, Jewish Big Brothers, New York City.
2. Summer Camps for Delinquent Boys.  
Irving A. Wagner, Executive Secretary, Big Brother Association, Columbus, Ohio.

**Discussant:**

George W. Casey, Executive Secretary, Big Brother Association, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.



## Tuesday, May 26

## 2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

Mrs. Emmet A. Quarles, Member, Common Council, Plainfield, New Jersey, presiding.

## Youth Guidance at Home and in Employment.

1. Summer Employment for Boys and Girls.  
A. H. Fahringer, Executive Secretary, Big Brother Organization, Scranton, Pennsylvania.
2. Training for Household Service—A Community Project.  
Elizabeth R. Mertz, Executive Secretary, Big Sister Council, Rochester, New York.

## 4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

Mrs. Emmet A. Quarles, Member, Common Council, Plainfield, New Jersey, presiding.

1. The Need for Patience and Persistence in Individual Personal Work.  
Joseph H. McCoy, General Secretary, Big Brother Movement, New York City.
2. The Use of Big Sisters for Older Girls.  
Mrs. Philip Houtz, Executive Secretary, Jewish Board of Guardians, New York City.

## Wednesday, May 27

## 1:00 P. M. Luncheon.

William J. Ellis, Commissioner, State Department of Institutions and Agencies, Trenton, New Jersey, presiding.

## General Principles of Crime Prevention.

1. Mental Hygiene and Recreation.  
Bruce B. Robinson, M.D., Director, Department of Child Guidance, Department of Education, Newark, New Jersey.
2. Crime Prevention.  
Sheldon Glueck, Professor, Harvard Law School, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

## Discussant:

Herbert D. Williams, Superintendent, State Training School for Boys, Warwick, New York.

## Thursday, May 28

## 2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

## Prevention of Juvenile Delinquency.

1. Our Specialized Service and the Trend Toward Undifferentiated Case Work.  
A. Z. Pittler, Director, Jewish Big Brother Association, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.
2. Moral Factors in Case Work.  
Paul Peters, Executive Secretary, Catholic Big Brothers of Queens, Jamaica, New York.

## 4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

Byrnes MacDonald, Director, Juvenile Aid Bureau, Police Department, New York City, presiding.

## Police Methods of Crime Prevention.

1. The Friendly Service Bureau of the Police Department.  
L. M. Shaw, Director, Police Social Work, Columbus, Ohio.
2. The Crime Prevention Unit of a Police Department.  
Walter M. Germain, Inspector, Division of Police, Department of Public Safety, Saginaw, Michigan.

## Friday, May 29

## 1:00 P. M.-2:30 P. M. Luncheon.

Ernest M. Harding, Assistant Commissioner of Education, State of New Jersey, Trenton, New Jersey, presiding.

## Prevention of Delinquency Through Schools and Community Organization.

1. Intra-Mural School Cabinets.  
John L. Hopkins, Superintendent of Schools, Hastings-on-Hudson, New York.
2. Town and Village Councils.  
Leonard W. Mayo, Assistant Director, Welfare Council, New York City.

## 3:00 P. M.-4:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with the National Girls Work Council. See their program.)

## A Cross-Section of Youth's Needs.

## CHILD WELFARE LEAGUE OF AMERICA

Sophie Van S. Theis, Assistant Secretary, State Charities Aid Association, New York City, Chairman.

## Monday, May 25

## 2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

1. Some Concrete and Practical Aspects of the Security Act as It Affects Child Welfare.  
Mary Irene Atkinson, Director, Child Welfare Division, Children's Bureau, Washington, D. C.
2. New Partnerships for Cooperation Between Public and Private Child Welfare Agencies.  
Arthur Dunham, Professor of Community Organization, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

## Tuesday, May 26

## 2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

## Direct Treatment of Children.

Irene Liggett, Assistant Secretary, Children's Aid Society of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

## Wednesday, May 27

## 1:00 P. M. Luncheon.

Jacob Kepecs, Superintendent, Jewish Home Finding Society, Chicago, Illinois, presiding.

## Program to be announced.

## Thursday, May 28

## 2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with the National Federation of Day Nurseries.)

## The Needs of Infants and Pre-School Children of Dependent Families.

1. From the Point of View of the Social Worker.  
Speaker to be announced.
2. From the Point of View of the Educator.  
Lois Hayden Meek, Director, Child Development Institute, Teachers College, New York City.
3. From the Point of View of the Pediatrician.  
Speaker to be announced.

## 4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with the Church Conference of Social Work. See their program.)

## Institution Workers Directly in Charge of Children—Their Selection and Education.

## 7:00 P. M. Dinner.

1. President's Address.  
Jacob Kepecs, Superintendent, Jewish Home Finding Society, Chicago, Illinois.
2. Report of the Executive Director.  
C. C. Carstens, Child Welfare League of America, New York City.

## Friday, May 29

## 3:00 P. M.-4:30 P. M.

## Group Discussion 1.

## County Organization for Child Care.

Discussion Leader: Florence Sullivan, Consultant in Child Welfare, Children's Bureau, Washington, D. C.

## Group Discussion 2.

## Interviews with Prospective Foster Parents.

Discussion Leader: Dorothy Hutchinson, New York School of Social Work, New York City.

## Group Discussion 3.

The Institution and an Evaluation of Its Experiments in Providing Formal Education for Its Children.

Discussion Leader: Thomas W. Brockbank, Director, Guidance Institute, Catholic Guardian Society, New York City.

**Group Discussion 4.**

Day Nursery.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

**Group Discussion 5.**

The Relationship Between Children's Agencies and Family Agencies in Protective Work for Children.

Discussion Leader: E. Marguerite Gane, Executive Secretary, Children's Aid Society, Buffalo, New York.

**Group Discussion 6.**

Evaluation of Child Caring Organizations' Experiences in Providing Care and Training for Boys and Girls over Sixteen.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

**Group Discussion 7.**

Volunteers.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

**Group Discussion 8.**

Exploring Our Conceptions of What Is Involved in Supervision of Children in Foster Homes.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

**Group Discussion 9.**

Experiments in Staff Training.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

**Group Discussion 10.**

The Maternity Home as a Social Agency.

Discussion Leader: Grace Reeder, Welfare Council of New York City, New York City.

### CHURCH CONFERENCE OF SOCIAL WORK OF THE FEDERAL COUNCIL OF CHURCHES OF CHRIST IN AMERICA

The Reverend L. Foster Wood, Professor, Colgate-Rochester Divinity School, Rochester, New York, Chairman.

**Sunday, May 24****4:30 P. M.**

Church Conference Vesper.

Speaker to be announced.

**Monday, May 25****7:30 A. M.-8:45 A. M. Breakfast**

Section on Theological Education.

Charles R. Zahniser, Director, Department of Social Service, Boston University, Boston, Massachusetts, presiding.

Personal Counselling in the Program of the Local Church.

John W. Suter, Jr., Rector, Church of the Epiphany, New York City.

**2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.**

(Joint Session with the National Recreation Association.)

Arthur L. Swift, Jr., Director of Field Work, Union Theological Seminary, New York City, presiding.

The Church and Leisure Time.

1. What Is Group Work?  
Clara Kaiser, New York School of Social Work, New York City.
2. Group Work in the Local Parish.  
Robert W. Searle, Executive Secretary, Greater New York Federation of Churches, New York City.
3. Group Work in Church Houses.  
Lena Seemann, Head Worker, Onward Neighborhood House, Chicago, Illinois.

**4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.**

(Joint Session with the National Recreation Association.)

Arthur L. Swift, Jr., Director of Field Work, Union Theological Seminary, New York City, presiding.

The Church and Leisure Time.

1. Group Activities.  
Clara Kaiser, New York School of Social Work, New York City.
2. Training of Leaders for Recreation Groups.  
J. W. Faust, National Recreation Association, New York City.

**5:45 P. M.**

Arthur L. Swift, Jr., Director of Field Work, Union Theological Seminary, New York City, presiding.

Church Conference Vesper.

Meditation.

Ambrose Hering, Lutheran Welfare Council, New York City.

**Tuesday, May 26****7:30 A. M.-8:45 A. M. Breakfast**

Lena Seemann, Head Worker, Onward Neighborhood House, Chicago, Illinois, presiding.

Program to be announced.

**2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.**

(Joint Session with the National Recreation Association.)

The Church and Leisure Time.

Conflict and Cooperation in the Leisure Time Field.

Arthur L. Swift, Jr., Director of Field Work, Union Theological Seminary, New York City.

Discussant:

Leonard Stidley, Church of All Nations, New York City.

**4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.**

Arthur L. Swift, Jr., Director of Field Work, Union Theological Seminary, New York City, presiding.

Church Participation in Coordinating Councils.

Report on National Survey of Coordinating Councils.

Kenneth S. Beam, Supervisor, Coordinating Councils, Los Angeles County Probation Department, Los Angeles, California.

Discussion Leader: Paul D. Eddy, International Council of Religious Education, New York City.

**5:45 P. M.**

Arthur L. Swift, Jr., Director of Field Work, Union Theological Seminary, New York City, presiding.

Church Conference Vesper.

Meditation.

Miriam V. Ristine, Board of Home Missions, Methodist Episcopal Church, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

**Wednesday, May 27****7:30 A. M.-8:45 A. M. Breakfast**

Roy B. Guild, Associate General Secretary, Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, New York City, presiding.

Councils of Churches.

What Is the Functional Place of a Council of Churches in the Social Work of Its Community?

W. L. Darby, Executive Secretary, Washington Federation of Churches, Washington, D. C.

**1:00 P. M. Interdenominational Luncheon.**

Arthur L. Swift, Jr., Director of Field Work, Union Theological Seminary, New York City, presiding.

Churches in Action Against War.

Walter Van Kirk, Secretary, Department of International Justice and Good-Will, Federal Council of Churches, New York City.

## Thursday, May 28

## 7:30 A. M.-8:45 A. M. Breakfast

National Council of Federated Church Women.

Mrs. James T. Ferguson, Executive Vice-President, National Council of Federated Church Women, Kansas City, Missouri, presiding.

Program to be announced.

## 2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

Worth M. Tippy, Executive Secretary, Department of Church and Social Service, Federal Council of Churches, New York City, presiding

The Churches in Relation to Social Security.

1. Present Conditions in Unemployment, Relief and Security.  
Katherine Gardner, Department of Race Relations, Federal Council of Churches, New York City.
2. Opportunity of Local Churches to Help Their People.  
J. Henry Carpenter, Brooklyn Federation of Churches, Brooklyn, New York.
3. Opportunity of the Negro Churches to Help Their People.  
William Lloyd Imes, Pastor, St. James Presbyterian Church, New York City.

## 4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with Child Welfare League of America.)

Panel Discussion.

H. W. Hopkirk, Superintendent, Albany Home for Children, Albany, New York, presiding.

Institution Workers Directly in Charge of Children—Their Selection and Education.

Panel Participants to be announced.

## 5:45 P. M.

Arthur L. Swift, Jr., Director of Field Work, Union Theological Seminary, New York City, presiding.

Church Conference Vesper.

Meditation.

William Lloyd Imes, Pastor, St. James Presbyterian Church, New York City.

## 7:00 P. M. Annual Fellowship Dinner.

Arthur L. Swift, Jr., Director of Field Work, Union Theological Seminary, New York City, presiding.

Let Us Abolish Poverty.

Worth M. Tippy, Executive Secretary, Department of Church and Social Service, Federal Council of Churches, New York City.

## Friday, May 29

## 7:30 A. M.-8:45 A. M. Interfaith Breakfast.

Everett Clinchy, presiding.

Catholics and Interfaith Cooperation; Its Extent and Its Limitations.

George B. Ford, Counselor to Catholic Students, Columbia University, New York City.

## 3:00 P. M.-4:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with the Episcopal Social Work Conference.)

James Myers, presiding.

1. Are Cooperatives a Way Out?  
E. R. Bowen, The Cooperative League, New York City.
2. Starting a Cooperative in a City.  
Speaker to be announced.

Discussants:

Winifred Chappel, Methodist Federation for Social Service, New York City.

William B. Spofford, Church League for Industrial Democracy, New York City.

## 4:45 P. M.

Arthur L. Swift, Jr., Director of Field Work, Union Theological Seminary, New York City, presiding.

Church Conference Vesper.

Meditation.

Clarence E. Pickett, Executive Secretary, American Friends Service Committee, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

## CLINICAL PSYCHOLOGY GROUP

Henry Feinberg, Psychologist, Mental Hygiene Clinic, Jewish Social Service Bureau, Detroit, Michigan, Chairman.

## Tuesday, May 26

## 2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

Relation of Clinical Psychology to Social Work.

Reading Disabilities in Relation to Difficulties of Personality and Emotional Development.

Phyllis Blanchard, Psychologist, Philadelphia Child Guidance Clinic, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Discussants:

LeRoy M. A. Maeder, M.D., Psychiatric Consultant, The Family Welfare Society of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Elizabeth M. Hincks, Psychologist, Perkins Institution for the Blind, Watertown, Massachusetts.

## COMMUNITY CHESTS AND COUNCILS

Ralph H. Blanchard, Administrative Director, Community Chests and Councils, New York City, Chairman.

Meetings will be held at the following times: Saturday, May 23, 10:00 A. M., 1:00 P. M., 8:00 P. M., and Sunday, May 24, 10:00 A. M. and 1:00 P. M. Details of the programs have not yet been completed.

## Monday, May 25

## 2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with the Social Work Publicity Council. See their program.)

Public Relations the Year Around.

## Tuesday, May 26

## 4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with the National Committee on Volunteers in Social Work. See their program.)

Educating the Layman in Social Service.

COMMUNITY CHESTS AND COUNCILS,  
SOCIAL SERVICE EXCHANGE COMMITTEE

Charlotte E. Owen, Executive Director, Community Chest, Stamford, Connecticut, Chairman.

## Tuesday, May 26

## 9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

(Joint Session with Section III, Community Organization, Group Meeting 3. See their program.)

The Social Service Index in the Future Community Organization. Picture.

## 2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

Arthur A. Guild, Director, Community Fund, Richmond, Virginia, presiding.

How Do Public Agencies Use the Exchange?

1. Subject and speaker to be announced.
2. Subject to be announced.

Mrs. Edward J. Lewis, Executive Secretary, Social Service Exchange, Chicago, Illinois.

## Thursday, May 28

## 2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

How Do Group Work Agencies Use the Exchange?

Speakers to be announced.



## Friday, May 29

## 3:00 P. M.-4:30 P. M.

Leonora Morse Rosing, Secretary, Social Service Exchange, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, presiding.

## New Routines.

1. Social Service Exchange Statistics.  
Emma A. Winslow, Statistician, Children's Bureau, Department of Labor, Washington, D. C.
2. Costs.  
Edith Shatto King, Executive Secretary, Social Service Exchange, New York City.
3. Inter-City Clearings.  
Seward C. Simons, Executive Director, Community Chest, Pasadena, California.

## CONFERENCE ON IMMIGRATION POLICY

Marie Chase Cole, Executive Secretary, International Institute, Young Women's Christian Association, New York City, Chairman.

## Tuesday, May 26

## 2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

What Would Happen if All Aliens Were Deported?

The Reverend Francis J. McConnell, Bishop, Methodist Episcopal Church, New York City.

Read Lewis, Director, Foreign Language Information Service, New York City.

## Wednesday, May 27

## 1:00 P. M. Luncheon.

Cultural Conflict as a Factor in Delinquency.

Eleanor T. Glueck, Research Worker, Crime Survey, Harvard Law School, Cambridge, Massachusetts.

## 3:00 P. M.-4:30 P. M.

## Panel Discussion.

The Social Adjustment of Children of Foreign Background.

Discussion Leader: Mary E. Hurlbutt, Faculty, New York School of Social Work, New York City.

## EPISCOPAL SOCIAL WORK CONFERENCE

Spencer Miller, Jr., Consultant on Industrial Relations, Department of Christian Social Service, National Council, Episcopal Church, New York City, Chairman.

## Monday, May 25

## 2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

1. The Part-Time Diocesan Social Service Executive—Asset or Liability?  
The Reverend George W. Dawson, Executive Secretary, Social Service Board, Diocese of Newark, Newark, New Jersey.
2. Instruction Before Marriage.  
The Reverend Russell S. Hubbard, Rector, St. Martin's Church, Providence, Rhode Island.

## Tuesday, May 26

## 2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

1. Practical Standards for Parish Social Service Committees.  
The Reverend C. Rankin Barnes, Rector, St. Paul's Church, San Diego, California.
2. Pastoral Use of Case Work in Family Adjustments.  
The Reverend Don Frank Fenn, President, Church Mission of Help, Diocese of Maryland, Baltimore, Maryland.

## Wednesday, May 27

## 1:00 P. M. Luncheon.

(Joint Session with the Church Mission of Help.)

Mrs. John M. Glenn, President, National Council Church Mission of Help, New York City, presiding.

1. The Church and the Social Case Work Method.  
Agnes Penrose, Executive Secretary, Church Mission of Help, Diocese of Albany, Albany, New York.
2. New Opportunities Face the Church Mission of Help.  
The Reverend Almon R. Pepper, Executive Secretary, National Council, Church Mission of Help, New York City.

## Thursday, May 28

## 2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

1. The Possibility of Including Both Institutional Care and Foster Home Care in Homes for Children.  
C. W. Areson, Assistant Executive Director, Child Welfare League of America, New York City.
2. New Problems in Church Care for Dependent Children.  
Sarah B. Crosby, Superintendent, Church Home for Children, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

## 7:00 P. M. Dinner.

1. The Church's Responsibility in the Drive for Social Security.  
Spencer Miller, Jr., Consultant on Industrial Relations, Department of Christian Social Service, National Council, Episcopal Church, New York City.
2. The Church's Obligation to Inject Ethics into the Body Politic.  
Edward L. Parker, Executive Secretary, Social Service Bureau, Newark, New Jersey.

## Friday, May 29

## 1:00 P. M.-2:30 P. M. Luncheon.

(Joint Session with the Girls' Friendly Society in the United States of America.)

New Social Attitudes Through Group Work.

Speaker to be announced.

## 3:00 P. M.-4:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with the Church Conference of Social Work. See their program.)

Are Cooperatives a Way Out?

## FAMILY WELFARE ASSOCIATION OF AMERICA

Margaret E. Rich, Assistant General Director, Family Welfare Association of America, New York City, Chairman.

The Annual Meeting of the Family Welfare Association of America will be held at the Ritz-Carlton Hotel, May 21 through 23rd, 1936. Since this is an Annual Business Meeting, attendance will be restricted to individual members and delegates from member agencies of the Association. For particulars as to program, address the Family Welfare Association of America, 130 East 22nd Street, New York City.

## Tuesday, May 26

## 2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

For National Case Workers Council.

Verne Weed, Chairman, National Case Workers' Council, Brooklyn Bureau of Charities, Brooklyn, New York, presiding.

The Professional Contribution of the Case Worker.

Speaker to be announced.

## Thursday, May 28

## 4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with National Committee on Volunteers in Social Work.)

The Interpretation of Family Case Work.

Speaker to be announced.

## 7:00 P. M. Family Social Work Dinner.

Mrs. John M. Glenn, President, Family Welfare Association of America, New York City, presiding.

Program to be announced.

Friday, May 29

3:00 P. M.-4:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with the National Society for the Prevention of Blindness.)

Round Table Discussion.

Lena R. Waters, Director of Medical Social Service, University of Pennsylvania Hospital, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, presiding.

Diagnostic and Treatment Procedure in Eye Problems.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

## INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN

Alberta Chase, Missouri Society for Crippled Children, St. Louis, Missouri, Chairman.

Monday, May 25

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

Jay Howenstine, Executive Secretary, International Society for Crippled Children, Elyria, Ohio, presiding.

The Basic Principles in the Organization and Interaction of State-Wide Services for Crippled Children.

1. As Applied in Michigan.

Harry H. Howett, Secretary-Treasurer, Michigan Commission for Crippled Children, Lansing, Michigan.

2. As Applied in Pennsylvania.

Speaker to be announced.

3. As Applied in Ohio.

Luetta Magruder, Superintendent, Division of Charities, Department of Public Welfare, Columbus, Ohio.

Tuesday, May 26

2:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

The Integration of Community Services Affecting the Welfare of Crippled Children.

1. In the Philadelphia Area.

Edwin W. Adams, Chairman, Philadelphia Council for the Handicapped, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

2. In the Cleveland Area.

Virginia B. Tomasch, Director of Social Service, The Association for the Crippled and Disabled, Cleveland, Ohio.

3. In the Chicago Area.

Jessie L. Stevenson, Supervisor, Orthopedic Division, Visiting Nurse Association, Chicago, Illinois.

4. In the Boston Area.

Speaker to be announced.

Discussant:

C. C. Carstens, Director, Child Welfare League of America, New York City.

Wednesday, May 27

1:00 P. M. Luncheon.

Social Security for Crippled Children.

1. Problems of Administration of the Crippled Children's Section of the Social Security Act.

R. C. Hood, Director, Crippled Children's Division, United States Children's Bureau, Washington, D. C.

2. What It Means in Relation to Crippled Children in Maryland and Alabama.

Speaker to be announced.

Discussant:

Edith Reeves Solenberger, Director of Research, International Society for Crippled Children, Upper Darby, Pennsylvania.

## LEGAL AID GROUP

George Scott Stewart, Jr., Chief Legal Aid Bureau, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Chairman.

Thursday, May 28

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

1. The Relationship Between the Legal Aid Society and the Social Service Agency.

A. E. Howell, Organized Aid Association, Jersey City, New Jersey.

2. Legal Aid Work in New Jersey.

James J. Farley, Essex County Legal Aid Association, Newark, New Jersey.

3. Subject to be announced.

William E. Sewell, Lawyer, Jersey City, New Jersey.

## LIFE INSURANCE ADJUSTMENT BUREAU

Edwin G. Eklund, Manager, Life Insurance Adjustment Bureau, New York City, Chairman.

Monday, May 25

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

Linton B. Swift, Chairman, Advisory Committee, Life Insurance Adjustment Bureau, New York City, presiding.

Life Insurance Adjustment Service for Relief Families.

1. Looking at Life Insurance Adjustments.

Elwood Street, Director of Public Welfare, Board of Public Welfare, District of Columbia, Washington, D. C.

2. Development of State Wide Life Insurance Adjustments in Public Departments.

Noel S. Baker, Director, Life Insurance Division, New York Temporary Emergency Relief Administration, New York City.

Tuesday, May 26

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

Dependent Families, Social Work and Life Insurance.

1. Social Work Policies and Issues Concerned with Life Insurance. L. J. Collins, Case Consultant on Insurance, Overseers of the Public Welfare, Boston, Massachusetts.

2. Adventures in Life Insurance Adjustment Work.

Edwin G. Eklund, Manager, Life Insurance Adjustment Bureau, New York City.

Wednesday, May 27

1:00 P. M. Luncheon.

Gordon Hamilton, Temporary Emergency Relief Administration, New York City, presiding.

Obtaining Full Value from Life Insurance Adjustments.

Flora Slocum, Home Economist, St. Louis Relief Administration, St. Louis, Missouri.

Discussants:

W. J. Faucette, Insurance Consultant, Emergency Relief Commission, Baltimore, Maryland.

Louise Mumm, Administrative Assistant, County Relief Board, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

## MOTHERS' AID ASSOCIATION

Martha H. Davis, Director, Louisville and Jefferson County Children's Home, Louisville, Kentucky, Chairman.

Monday, May 25

4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with American Public Welfare Association.)

What Should Our Developments Be Now That We Have Federal Cooperation in Mothers' Aid.

Speaker to be announced.

Wednesday, May 27

1:00 P. M. Luncheon.

Some Interesting Developments in Mothers' Aid.

Speaker to be announced.

# **NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR TRAVELERS AID AND TRANSIENT SERVICE**

Roberta C. Williams, Executive Secretary, Travelers' Aid Society,  
Wilmington, Delaware, Chairman.

## **Sunday, May 24**

### **10:00 A. M.**

Mrs. John Jay O'Connor, Vice-President, National Association for Travelers Aid and Transient Service, Washington, D. C., presiding.

Business Meeting.

### **1:00 P. M. Luncheon.**

G. Roy Eaton, Member, Board of Directors, National Association for Travelers Aid and Transient Service, Wilmington, Delaware, presiding.

Board and Staff Working Together.

1. How Board Members Can Participate.  
Mrs. Elias Wolf, Board Member, Travelers Aid Society, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
2. How Staff Members Can Participate.  
Marie C. Judge, Executive Secretary, Travelers Aid Society, Baltimore, Maryland.

### **3:30 P. M.**

Mrs. S. J. Rosensohn, Member, Board of Directors, National Association for Travelers Aid and Transient Service, New York City, presiding.

National and Regional Planning for Travelers Aid and Transient Service.

Speaker to be announced.

## **Monday, May 25**

### **2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.**

Marie C. Judge, Executive Secretary, Travelers Aid Society, Baltimore, Maryland, presiding.

The Possibilities and Limitations of a Central Intake Service.

Arthur Guild, Director, Community Fund, Richmond, Virginia.

Discussant:

Dorothea Knoblock, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

### **4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.**

Ella Weinfurther Reed, Hamilton County Department of Public Welfare, Cincinnati, Ohio, presiding.

Intake Interviewing Techniques.

Louise Hawksworth, Supervisor of Intake, Department of Public Welfare, Syracuse, New York.

Beatrice Hodgson, Assistant Executive, Travelers Aid Society, Washington, D. C.

## **Tuesday, May 26**

### **9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.**

(Joint Session with Section III—Community Organization, Group Meeting 4. See their program.)

Methods and Responsibilities for Coordinating Local, State and National Programs for Transients.

### **2:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.**

Ebb and Flow of Treatment in Travelers Aid Service.

Helen A. Woodward, Station Supervisor, Travelers Aid Society, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Fannie Brener, Executive Secretary, Travelers Aid Society, New Orleans, Louisiana.

## **Wednesday, May 27**

### **1:00 P. M. Luncheon.**

(Joint Session with American Social Hygiene Association and Committee on Care of Transients and Homeless.)

Ellen C. Potter, M.D., Director of Medicine, Department of Institutions and Agencies, State of New Jersey, Trenton, New Jersey.

The Transient and Public Health.

1. Development of Public Health Clinic at Hot Springs, Arkansas.  
O. C. Wenger, M. D., Medical Officer in Charge, Public Health Service, United States Treasury Department, Hot Springs, Arkansas.
2. Development of Care for the Tubercular Transient.  
Speaker to be announced.
3. Coordinating Public Health and Social Service.  
Speaker to be announced.

## **Thursday, May 28**

### **2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.**

Bessie D. Chantler, Staff Associate, National Association for Travelers Aid and Transient Service, New York City, presiding.

Undeveloped Sources of Intake.

1. Travelers Aid Opportunities for Developing New Sources of Intake.  
Mildred Bracy, Station Supervisor, Travelers Aid Society, Chicago, Illinois.
2. The Red Cross on the Highways.  
Richard W. Thrush, Assistant National Director, First Aid and Life Saving Service, American Red Cross, Washington, D. C.

### **7:00 P. M. Dinner.**

Bernard A. Roloff, Extension Secretary, Travelers Aid Society, Chicago, Illinois, presiding.

Interpretation.

Helen Cody Baker, Publicity Secretary, Council of Social Agencies, Chicago, Illinois.

# **NATIONAL BOARD, YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

Emma P. Hirth, Associate General Secretary, National Board, Young Women's Christian Associations of the United States of America, New York City, Chairman.

## **Monday, May 25**

### **7:30 A. M.-8:45 A. M. Breakfast**

Mrs. Charles H. Harrison, President, Young Women's Christian Association, Atlantic City, New Jersey, presiding.

Report of the Convention Speaker.

Anna V. Rice, General Secretary, National Board, Young Women's Christian Associations of the United States of America, New York City.

## **Tuesday, May 26**

### **2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.**

(Joint Session with the National Committee on Volunteers in Social Work and the National Girls' Work Council.)

Mrs. William P. Jeffrey, Member, National Board of the Young Women's Christian Associations, New York City, presiding.

Group Thinking for Board Action.

Speaker to be announced.

Discussion Leader: Margaret Williamson, Leadership Division, National Board, Young Women's Christian Associations, New York City.

## **Thursday, May 28**

### **7:00 P. M. Dinner.**

Mrs. Frederic M. Paist, President, National Board, Young Women's Christian Associations, New York City, presiding.

The Status of Women and the Modern State.

Mary Ritter Beard, Author and Historian, New Milford, Connecticut.



## NATIONAL BUREAU OF GOODWILL INDUSTRIES

Oliver A. Friedman, Executive Secretary, Milwaukee Goodwill Industries,  
Milwaukee, Wisconsin, Chairman.

Tuesday, May 26

These discussions are intended to afford opportunities for social workers from cooperating fields of social work and Goodwill Industries' leaders to discuss these general phases of social work as related to Sheltered Workshops generally and Goodwill Industries in particular.

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

Social Work in Goodwill Industries.

1. Social Case Work in Goodwill Industries.

Harold J. Mahew, Executive Secretary, New Haven Goodwill Industries, New Haven, Connecticut.

2. Social Group Work in Goodwill Industries.

The Reverend John S. German, Executive Secretary, Baltimore Goodwill Industries, Baltimore, Maryland.

4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

The Reverend John S. German, Executive Secretary, Baltimore Goodwill Industries, Baltimore, Maryland, presiding.

Social Work in Goodwill Industries.

1. Goodwill Industries in Community Organization.

Oliver A. Friedman, Executive Secretary, Milwaukee Goodwill Industries, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

2. Goodwill Industries and Social Action.

The Reverend W. Harold Snape, Executive Secretary, Springfield Goodwill Industries, Springfield, Massachusetts.

## NATIONAL CHILD LABOR COMMITTEE

Courtenay Dinwiddie, General Secretary, National Child Labor Committee,  
New York City, Chairman.

Wednesday, May 27

1:00 P. M. Luncheon.

Child Labor.

1. Child Workers of Today.

Katharine F. Lenroot, Chief, Federal Children's Bureau, United States Department of Labor, Washington, D. C.

2. The Child Labor Amendment Must Be Ratified.

Frank P. Walsh, Chairman, Catholic Citizens' Committee for Ratification of the Federal Child Labor Amendment, New York City.

## NATIONAL CHILDREN'S HOME AND AID ASSOCIATION

Mary E. Holland, Executive Secretary, Children's Aid Society, Denver,  
Colorado, Chairman.

Sunday, May 24

3:00 P. M.

What Fields of Child Care Should Be Occupied by Private Child Caring Agencies? Why?

1. Do State-Wide Child Placing Agencies Have a Place in Modern Social Service? What Function Can They Best Perform?

Speaker to be announced.

2. What Should be Included in the Service Program of a Local Children's Aid Society?

Speaker to be announced.

3. Where Should the Line Be Drawn Between the Service of a Local Children's Aid and the Family Welfare Association?

Speaker to be announced.

6:00 P. M. Dinner.

What Consideration Should Be Given to the Brother and Sister Relationship in Handling Dependent Children?

1. What Consideration Should Be Given to the Brother and Sister Relationship in Planning Foster Care for Children?

Speaker to be announced.

2. How Can We Relieve the Emotional Strain of Foster Children in Their Transition from Natural to Foster Family Relationships?

Speaker to be announced.

3. Where Should the Line Be Drawn Between the Service of a Children's Aid Society and a Children's Home or Institution?

Speaker to be announced.

Wednesday, May 27

1:00 P. M. Luncheon.

Business Meeting.

## NATIONAL COMMITTEE OF HEALTH COUNCIL EXECUTIVES

Howard W. Green, Director, Cleveland Health Council, Cleveland, Ohio,  
Chairman.

Friday, May 29

1:00 P. M. Luncheon.

Current Problems Which Are of Concern to Health Councils.

## NATIONAL COMMITTEE ON VOLUNTEERS IN SOCIAL WORK

Evelyn K. Davis, Assistant Director, National Organization for Public Health Nursing, New York City, Chairman.

Tuesday, May 26

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

(Joint Session with Section III—Community Organization, Group Meeting 2. See their program.)

Lay Participation in Social Planning.

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with Section II—Social Group Work, Group Meeting 2. See their program.)

The Training of Group Leaders.

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with the National Board, Young Women's Christian Associations. See their program.)

Group Thinking for Board Action.

4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with Community Chests and Councils.)

Katharine King, President, Board of Directors, Volunteer Service Bureau of Philadelphia, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, presiding.

Educating the Layman in Social Service.

1. The Educational Program of the Association of Junior Leagues of America.

Mrs. Peter L. Harvie, Secretary, Association of Junior Leagues of America, Troy, New York.

2. The Educational Program of a Council of Social Agencies.

Speaker to be announced.

3. Training for Women Crusade Leaders.

Speakers to be announced.

Wednesday, May 27

1:00 P. M. Luncheon.

Mrs. Richard Bethel, New Jersey State Chairman, National Committee on Volunteers in Social Work, presiding.

1. Lay Participation in the National Conference of Social Work. The Very Reverend Monsignor Robert F. Keegan, Executive Director, Catholic Charities, New York City, and President, National Conference of Social Work.

2. Business Session.

## Thursday, May 28

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with Committee on Public Welfare Personnel.)

Citizens' Boards in Relation to Public Welfare Administration.

Harry Greenstein, State Relief Administrator, Board of State Aid and Charities, Baltimore, Maryland.

Ruth Taylor, Commissioner of Public Welfare in Westchester County, Valhalla, New York.

4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with the Family Welfare Association of America. See their program.)

The Interpretation of Family Case Work.

NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF INTERNATIONAL  
INSTITUTES

Mrs. Ellis L. Yatman, Chairman, International Institute, Young Women's Christian Association, Providence, Rhode Island, Chairman.

## Thursday, May 28

4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

Needs of Newer Americans in 1936.

Discussion Leader: Florence G. Cassidy, Secretary, National Institute of Immigrant Welfare, New York City.

## Friday, May 29

3:00 P. M.-4:30 P. M.

Business Session.

NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF JEWISH SOCIAL  
SERVICE

Michael Freund, Bureau of Jewish Social Research, New York City, Chairman.

"Adjustment of Jewish social work to present day conditions" will be the principal theme of the 1936 annual meeting of the National Conference of Jewish Social Service, which will be held this year at Atlantic City from May 30 to June 3.

Among the major topics to be covered in sessions at the conference and now being studied by subcommittees are the following: youth problems; content of Jewish social work; lay and professional viewpoints; anti-Semitism; and employment practices.

NATIONAL COORDINATING COMMITTEE OF  
RANK AND FILE GROUPS IN SOCIAL WORK

Estelle Cooper, New York City, Chairman.

## Monday, May 25

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

The Negro in Social Work.

Speaker to be announced.

## Tuesday, May 26

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

Political Symposium on a Program for Social Welfare.

Speakers to be announced.

4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

Business Meeting.

## Wednesday, May 27

1:00 P. M. Luncheon.

Mental Hygiene and Social Work.

Speaker to be announced.

## Thursday, May 28

7:00 P. M. Dinner

Security for the Social Worker.

Speakers to be announced.

## Friday, May 29

3:00 P. M.-4:30 P. M.

1. Fascism and Social Work.

Speaker to be announced.

2. Report by a Rank and File Committee.

NATIONAL COUNCIL ON NATURALIZATION  
AND CITIZENSHIP

Mrs. Leo Bernstein, Secretary, National Council on Naturalization and Citizenship, New York City, Chairman.

## Thursday, May 28

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

Read Lewis, Director, Foreign Language Information Service, New York City, presiding.

Naturalization and Assimilation.

1. Naturalization, by Compulsion or by Choice.

Donald Young, Professor of Sociology, University of Pennsylvania, New York City.

2. Differences in Rate of Naturalization of Immigrant Groups.

Ruth Z. Bernstein, Secretary, National Council on Naturalization and Citizenship, New York City.

Discussant:

Alice W. O'Connor, Supervisor, Social Service Division, Immigration and Americanization, Boston, Massachusetts.

## Friday, May 29

1:00 P. M.-4:30 P. M. Luncheon.

Changes in Our Nationality Provisions.

Speakers to be announced.

NATIONAL COUNCIL FOR THE PHYSICALLY  
HANDICAPPED

Alvin E. Pope, School for the Deaf, West Trenton, New Jersey, Chairman

## Thursday, May 28

2:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

Oscar M. Sullivan, Director, Division of Reeducation, State Department of Education, St. Paul, Minnesota, presiding.

What New Opportunities Would Better Enable the Handicapped to Adjust Themselves to the Changing Social Order?

1. Subject to be announced.

John A. Kratz, Washington, D. C., representing the National Rehabilitation Association.

2. Subject to be announced.

Speaker to be announced, representing the American Federation of Organizations for the Hard of Hearing, Inc.

3. Rehabilitation of the Physically Handicapped.

Winifred Conrick Kahmann, Indiana, representing the American Occupational Therapy Association.

4. Subject to be announced.

Clarence D. O'Connor, New York, representing the Convention of American Instructors of the Deaf.

Victor O. Skyberg, New York, representing the Convention of American Instructors of the Deaf.

5. Social and Industrial Legislation as It Affects the Deaf.

Marcus L. Kenner, New York, representing the National Association of the Deaf.

6. Employment and Guidance Through Sheltered Work-Shop.

John S. German, Maryland, representing the National Association of Goodwill Industries, Inc.

7. Occupational Adjustment of the Visually Handicapped.

Eleanor Brown Merrill, New York, representing the National Association for Prevention of Blindness, Inc.

8. Subject to be announced.

Speaker to be announced, representing the National Tuberculosis Association.

Discussion Leader: John A. Kratz, Washington, D. C.

Business Meeting.

# NATIONAL COUNCIL, YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATIONS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Jay A. Urice, Associate General Secretary, National Council, Young Men's Christian Associations, New York City, Chairman.

Tuesday, May 26

7:30 A. M.-8:45 A. M. Breakfast.

This period constitutes the assembling around the breakfast table of all Y. M. C. A. representatives who are in attendance at the Conference. Orientation in connection with the general program, with topics under the various sections and with special group sessions will be the purpose. As far as possible endeavor will be made to discover the variety of interests reflected and the allocation of members of the group to participate in the sectional meetings.

Thursday, May 28

7:00 P. M. Dinner

This period calls for the reassembling of the Y. M. C. A. representatives to share contributions that were made through papers and discussions and to discover the emphases that were made in the Conference. It is also intended to secure suggestions for more constructive cooperation in the National Conference of Social Work as well as locally.

## NATIONAL FEDERATION OF DAY NURSERIES

Amy Hostler, Executive Secretary, National Federation of Day Nurseries, New York City, Chairman.

Thursday, May 28

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with Child Welfare League of America. See their program.)

The Needs of Infants and Pre-School Children of Dependent Families.

Friday, May 29

1:00 P. M.-2:30 P. M. Luncheon.

Mrs. Paul B. Welles, President, National Federation of Day Nurseries, New York City, presiding.

Day Nurseries.

The Day Nursery in a Community Child Welfare Program.

Katharine F. Lenroot, Chief of Children's Bureau, United States Department of Labor, Washington, D. C.

3:00 P. M.-4:30 P. M.

Round Table Discussion.

Day Nurseries.

Discussion Leader: Emma Puschner, American Legion National Child Welfare Division, Indianapolis, Indiana.

## NATIONAL GIRLS' WORK COUNCIL

Emily T. Burr, Director, Vocational Adjustment Bureau, New York City, Chairman.

Monday, May 25

2:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

Housing.

Foster Home Situation; the Girl Living in an Institution; the Opportunity Home and Boarding Home.

Discussants:

1. Housing as Educational Experiment for Youth.  
Bernice Miller, National Youth Administration.
2. Placing Out and Follow-Up.  
E. Marguerite Gaine, Executive Secretary, Children's Aid Society, Buffalo, New York.
3. Transient Girl.  
Miss Frizell, Travelers Aid Society, New York City.
4. Subject to be announced.  
Louise Drury, Executive Secretary, Children's Protective Association, Los Angeles, California.
5. Subject to be announced.  
Christine Leonard, Girls' Service League, New York City.
6. Subject to be announced.  
Helen McGill, Judge, Juvenile Court, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.

Tuesday, May 26

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with the National Board of the Young Women's Christian Associations. See their program.)

Group Thinking for Board Action.

4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

Business Meeting.

Thursday, May 28

2:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

Occupational Distribution of Youth.

Types of Work in Which Youth Is Engaged Throughout the United States.

Discussants to be announced.

Friday, May 29

3:00 P. M.-4:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with Big Brother and Big Sister Federation.)

A Cross-Section of Youth's Needs.

Discussants:

Representatives of Youth.

John Lang.

Viola Ilma, Editor of Youth Magazine.

Representative Employers.

Samuel Klein, New York City.

Edward S. Filene, Boston, Massachusetts.

Representative of Church.

Father Olafsen, Brooklyn, New York.

Representative of Parents.

Mrs. Pascale, President, Parents-Teachers Association.

Representative Social Workers.

Charlotte Ellis, Executive Secretary, Urban League, Columbus, Ohio.

Lavinia Keys, Temporary State Department of Public Welfare, Columbia, South Carolina.

Hertha Kraus, Professor of Social Work, Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

Dorothy J. Willmann, Executive Secretary, The Sodality of Our Lady, St. Louis, Missouri.

Bertha D. MacNeill, Executive Secretary, Big Sister Organization, Scranton, Pennsylvania.

Representative Teachers.

## NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF IMMIGRANT WELFARE

Mrs. Harry M. Bremer, Executive Director, Department of Immigration and Foreign Communities, National Board, Young Women's Christian Associations, New York City, Chairman.

Sunday, May 24

2:30 P. M.

The Folk Communities Within Our Cities.

Speaker to be announced.

Monday, May 25

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

United States Immigration Service Looks to Social Work.

Colonel Daniel W. McCormack, United States Commissioner of Immigration and Naturalization, United States Department of Labor, Washington, D. C.

4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

Panel Discussion.

Problems in Cooperation in Immigrant, Deportation and Repatriation Work.

Panel participants to be announced.

Tuesday, May 26

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

Symposium.

Immigration Problems in the Light of World Migrations.



## NATIONAL PROBATION ASSOCIATION

Charles Evans Hughes, Jr., President, National Probation Association,  
New York City, Chairman.

Friday, May 22

10:00 A. M.

Special Conference of Representatives of Coordinating or Community  
Crime Prevention Councils.

Coordinating Councils.

Discussants:

Kenneth S. Beam, Special Field Agent, National Probation  
Association, Los Angeles, California.

Frederic M. Thrasher, Associate Professor of Education, New  
York University, New York City.

Saturday, May 23

9:30 A. M.

1. The Probation Officer as Seen by the Judge.  
Speaker to be announced.

2. Panel Discussion.

Probation and Parole in Relation to Public Welfare.

Discussion Leader: Joseph H. Hagan, Director, Division of Pro-  
bation and Criminal Statistics, State Department of Public Welfare,  
Providence, Rhode Island.

Discussants:

Burdette G. Lewis, American Public Welfare Association, Chi-  
cago, Illinois.

William J. Harper, Director, Westchester County Probation  
Department, White Plains, New York.

12:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with the American Public Welfare Association.)

Sanford Bates, Director, Bureau of Prisons, Department of Justice,  
Washington, D. C., presiding.

1. Progress in Crime Prevention.

Justin Miller, Special Assistant to Attorney General, Wash-  
ington, D. C.

2. Prison Reorganization and Crime Control.

Joseph N. Ulman, Judge of the Supreme Bench, Baltimore,  
Maryland, Chairman, Prison Industries Reorganization Admin-  
istration.

3:00 P. M.

Group Discussion 1.

(Joint Session with the American Public Welfare Association.)  
For Juvenile Court Judges.

1. The Problem of Intake.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

2. Selecting Probation Personnel.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

Group Discussion 2.

(Joint Session with the American Public Welfare Association.)

1. Relation of the Probation Officer to the Client.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

2. Probation Case Records.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

Group Discussion.

(Joint Session with the American Public Welfare Association, Group  
Discussion 1. See their program.)

Parole Probation in Public Welfare.

Group Discussion.

(Joint Session with the American Public Welfare Association, Group  
Discussion 2. See their program.)

Public Welfare and Law Enforcement.

6:30 P. M. Dinner

1. New Jersey's Welcome.

Speaker to be announced.

2. The State's Struggle Against Crime.

Speaker to be announced.

3. The Government and the Child in Need.

Speaker to be announced.

Sunday, May 24

11:00 A. M.

1. Commanding Our Spiritual Resources.

Speaker to be announced.

2. Presentation of Electrical Transcription of Work in Los An-  
geles.

Speaker to be announced.

Monday, May 25

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with the Committee on the Social Treatment of Crime.  
See their program.)

Social Work Basis for Prevention and Treatment of Delinquency and  
Crime.

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

Justin Miller, Special Assistant to Attorney General, Washington, D. C.,  
presiding.

The National Study of Coordinating Councils.

Kenneth S. Beam, Special Field Agent, National Probation Asso-  
ciation, Los Angeles, California.

4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

Justin Miller, Special Assistant to Attorney General, Washington, D. C.,  
presiding.

1. The Volunteer in Court.

Marjorie Bell, Assistant Director, National Probation Associa-  
tion, New York City.

2. Business Session.

A. National Developments in Probation.

Charles L. Chute, Executive Director, National Probation  
Association, New York City.

B. Committee Reports.

Tuesday, May 26

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

(Joint Session with the Committee on the Social Treatment of Crime.  
See their program.)

Practical Difficulties in Social Approach to Prevention and Treatment  
of Delinquency and Crime.

11:00 A. M.-12:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with Section II—Social Group Work, Group Meeting  
3. See their program.)

Group Work and Delinquency.

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

1. Psychiatry and the Adult Offender.

Speaker to be announced.

2. The Clinic and the Court.

Speaker to be announced.

4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

Experimenting with the Domestic Relations Court.

Speaker to be announced.

Wednesday, May 27

1:00 P. M. Luncheon.

(Joint Session with the National Girls' Work Council.)

1. Youth Today.

Mark A. McCloskey, Director, National Youth Administration,  
New York City.

2. Guiding the Adolescent.

Speaker to be announced.

# NATIONAL TUBERCULOSIS ASSOCIATION AND NEW JERSEY TUBERCULOSIS LEAGUE

F. D. Hopkins, National Tuberculosis Association, New York City,  
Chairman.

Wednesday, May 27

1:00 P. M. Luncheon.

H. E. Kleinschmidt, M.D., Director, Health Education Service, National Tuberculosis Association, New York City, presiding.

Tuberculosis Case Finding.

1. By Tuberculin Testing.  
Esmond R. Long, M.D., Director, Pathological Department, Henry Phipps Institute, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
2. By X-Raying.  
George C. Ruhland, M.D., Health Officer, Washington, D. C.
3. The Private Practitioner and Tuberculosis Case Finding.  
Herbert R. Edwards, M.D., Director, Bureau of Tuberculosis, Department of Health, New York City.
4. Discussion: The Place of the Nurse in the Above Program.

Thursday, May 28

2:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

Ernest D. Easton, Executive Secretary, New Jersey Tuberculosis League, Newark, New Jersey, presiding.

The 1936 Seal Sale.

1. Relation of Community Chests to the Seal Sale.  
Ernest D. Easton, Executive Secretary, New Jersey Tuberculosis League, Newark, New Jersey.
2. A Letter Clinic.  
Charles L. Newcomb, Director, Seal Sales Service, National Tuberculosis Association, New York City.
3. Thirty Years of Public Confidence in the Seal Sale.  
Harvey Dee Brown, Director, Philadelphia Health Council and Tuberculosis Committee, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
4. Early Orders and Larger Gifts.  
Frances H. Barbour, Executive Secretary, Nassau County Committee on Tuberculosis and Public Health, Mineola, New York.
5. Using Board Members to Promote the Seal Sale and Local Programs.  
Edward K. Funkhouser, Executive Secretary, Passaic County Tuberculosis and Health Association, Paterson, New Jersey.
6. 1936 Thanks for Health Day.  
Edna Young Bond, School Health Education Director, New Jersey Tuberculosis League, Newark, New Jersey.

## SALVATION ARMY

Commissioner Edward J. Parker, National Secretary, Salvation Army, New York City, Chairman.

Monday, May 25

2:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

The Salvation Army in a Community Plan.

1. Developments and Trends in the Salvation Army Program During 1935-1936.  
Commissioner Edward J. Parker, National Secretary, The Salvation Army, New York City.
  2. The Salvation Army in Cooperative Agency Service.  
A. As Seen from Within.  
Lieutenant-Colonel Louis C. Bennett, Welfare Secretary, The Salvation Army, Chicago, Illinois.  
B. As Seen from Without.  
Elwood Street, Director, Board of Public Welfare, Washington, D. C.
- Discussant:  
Colonel Vernor R. Post.
- Discussion Leader: Adjutant George Hunt.

Tuesday, May 26

4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

The Salvation Army in a Community Plan.

1. Philosophy—Field and Program of Men's Social Service Department.  
Lieutenant-Colonel Archie Layman, Men's Social Service Secretary, The Salvation Army, San Francisco, California.
  2. The Salvation Army in the Field of Prison and Parole.  
Colonel William F. Palmer, Welfare and Prison Secretary, The Salvation Army, New York City.
- Discussant:  
Edward R. Cass, General Secretary, American Prison Association, New York City.
- Discussion Leader: Colonel A. S. Norris.

Wednesday, May 27

1:00 P. M. Luncheon.

The Salvation Army in a Community Plan. The Social Significance of the "World for God" Campaign of the Salvation Army.

1. The Plan of Religion or Spiritual Emphasis in Social Rehabilitation.  
Colonel Fletcher Agnew, Chief Secretary, Central Territory, The Salvation Army, Chicago, Illinois.
  2. Some Concrete Examples of Adjustment Achieved by Spiritual Social Treatment.  
Major George Marshall, Divisional Commander, The Salvation Army, Baltimore, Maryland.
- Discussant:  
Lieutenant-Colonel John J. Allan, Salvation Army, New York City.
- Discussion Leader: Brigadier Julia Thomas, Women's Social Secretary, Salvation Army, Chicago, Illinois.

## SEAMEN'S AGENCIES

D. Boyden Roseberry, Director, Religious and Social Service Department, Seamen's Church Institute, New York City, Chairman.

Tuesday, May 26

2:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

1. Brief reports by the representatives from the various agencies.
2. Present Achievements and Future Aims of the International Seamen's Union.  
Speaker to be announced.
3. The Responsibility of the Seamen's Agencies for Improving Working and Living Conditions of Seamen Both on Ship-board and Ashore.  
Speaker to be announced.

Wednesday, May 27

3:00 P. M.-4:30 P. M.

1. What Working Agreements Have Done for the American Merchant Marine.  
Speaker to be announced.
2. Federal Laws, Policies, and Plans Affecting the American Merchant Marine.  
Speaker to be announced.

Thursday, May 28

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

The Sea as a Career for Young Men.

Speaker to be announced.

7:00 P. M. Dinner.

1. How the Religious Work of Seamen's Welfare Agencies May Be Made More Effective.  
Speaker to be announced.
2. Evaluation of the Federal Transient Program as It Affected Merchant Seamen.  
Speaker to be announced.

## SOCIAL WORK PUBLICITY COUNCIL

Natalie Walker Linderholm, Extension Secretary, Family Welfare Society,  
Boston, Massachusetts, Chairman.

## Monday, May 25

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with Community Chests and Councils.)

Public Relations the Year Around. A better understanding of our public as a key to effective publicity programs.

1. The Politician: Can the Social Worker Ever Understand Him?  
Speaker to be announced.
2. The Small Wage Earner: Does His Opinion as Well as His Pledge Count?  
Speaker to be announced.
3. The Man on the Street: Can We Bring the Average Citizen into Closer Contact with the Interests of Social Agencies?  
Speaker to be announced.

4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

## Group Discussion 1.

Attendance limited to first fifty persons.

The Writing and Use of the Case Story.

Discussion Leader: Hilary Campbell, Editor, Social Work Publicity Council, New York City.

## Group Discussion 2.

Attendance limited to first fifty persons.

Adapting National Publicity Material to Local Uses.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

## Tuesday, May 26

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

(Joint Session with Section III—Community Organization, Group Meeting 1. See their program.)

The Interpretation of Social Case Work.

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

(Joint Session with American Public Welfare Association.)

Russell Kurtz, Editor, Social Work Year Book, Russell Sage Foundation, New York City, presiding.

The Interpretation of Social Security.

1. Spreading Information on a National Scale.  
Louis Resnick, Director, Informational Service Bureau, Social Security Board, Washington, D. C.
2. Interpreting Social Security to a Local Public.  
Speaker to be announced.
3. How Secure Is Social Security?  
Robert P. Lane, Executive Director, The Welfare Council of New York City, New York City.

4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

## Group Discussion 1.

Attendance limited to first fifty persons.

Human Values in Statistics.

Discussion Leader: Natalie W. Linderholm, Extension Secretary, Family Welfare Society, Boston, Massachusetts.

## Group Discussion 2.

Attendance limited to first fifty persons.

Training Ourselves as Public Speakers.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

## Wednesday, May 27

1:00 P. M. Members Luncheon.

1. Council News.

Speaker to be announced.

2. Appraising Your Resources for Interpretation.

Mary Swain Routzahn, Consultant in Social Work Interpretation, Russell Sage Foundation, New York City.

## Thursday, May 28

4:00 P. M.-5:30 P. M.

Attendance limited to first fifty persons.

Round Table Discussion.

Relating Our Publicity to Current Thinking.

Discussion Leader to be announced.

9:15 P. M.

After Hours. A musical revue on social work.

## Friday, May 29

9:00 A. M.-10:30 A. M.

(Joint Session with Section II—Social Group Work, Group Meeting 4. See their program.)

Interpreting Group Work to the Public.

3:00 P. M.-4:30 P. M.

Presenting Case Work Through Dramatization.

1. From the Writing Standpoint.  
Viola Paradise, in Charge of Interpretation, Jewish Social Service Association, New York City.
2. From the Production Standpoint.  
Speaker to be announced.

## STATE CONFERENCE SECRETARIES

Mary B. Holsinger, Secretary, New York State Conference on Social Work, Albany, New York, Chairman.

## Tuesday, May 26

2:00 P. M.-3:30 P. M.

Techniques of Meetings.





## Suggestions For Officers

CONFERENCE members are strongly urged to submit suggestions now for 1937-38 officers—the slate which will be reported at the Atlantic City meeting and voted upon at the Indianapolis meeting in 1937. Suggestions should be sent directly to the chairmen of the nominating committees for the Conference at large and the four sections, who are listed below.

Send to Percival Dodge, 51 W. Warren Ave., Detroit, Mich., chairman of the National Conference of Social Work Committee on Nominations, your suggestions for:

- President.
- First vice-president.
- Second vice-president.
- Third vice-president.
- Executive Committee, seven members to be elected for a term of three years.

Send to Frances Taussig, Jewish Social Service Association, 71 W. 47th St., New York City, chairman of the Committee on Nominations for **Section I, Social Case Work**, your suggestions for:

- Chairman of Section I.
- Vice-chairman of Section I.
- Committee of Section I, at least three members to be elected for a term of three years.

Send to Wilber I. Newstetter, School of Applied Social Sciences, Western Reserve University, Cleveland, O., chairman of the Committee on Nominations for **Section II, Social Group Work**, your suggestions for:

- Chairman of Section II.
- Vice-chairman of Section II.
- Committee of Section II, at least three members to be elected for term of three years.

Send to Helen Currier, P. O. Box 67, Dayton, O., chairman of the Committee on Nominations for **Section III, Community Organization**, your suggestions for:

- Chairman of Section III.
- Vice-chairman of Section III.
- Committee of Section III, at least three members to be elected for term of three years.

Send to T. Arnold Hill, National Urban League, 1133 Broadway, New York City, chairman of the Committee on Nominations for **Section IV, Social Action**, your suggestions for:

- Chairman of Section IV.
- Vice-chairman of Section IV.
- Committee of Section IV, at least three members to be elected for term of three years.

Because the Conference from past experience believes members prefer to submit their suggestions to the nominating committee chairmen by letter and have an opportunity to discuss their choices, the Bulletin is not printing nominating blanks in this issue.

## Reduced Rail Rates

RAILROAD identification certificates permitting members of the Conference and dependent members of their families to purchase round-trip railroad tickets to Atlantic City at the reduced rate of one and one-third fares have been mailed to all Conference members entitled to them. With each certificate are issued full instructions, including selling and return dates, stop-over privileges and diverse routings.

Supplies also have been sent to member agencies for staff and board members.

The Conference may issue these certificates only to actual members. If you plan to travel to Atlantic City by rail and expect reduced rates, it is important to obtain certificates in advance of the Annual Meeting. If you are not now entitled to the reduced rate privilege you should become a Conference member at once. A railroad certificate will be mailed immediately upon receipt of the membership fee.

## Ticket Sale

A TICKET OFFICE for the advance sale of tickets to luncheons and dinners at the Annual Meeting will be maintained in Conference Headquarters in the Auditorium at Atlantic City. It will be necessary for all persons wishing to attend luncheons and dinners to obtain tickets shortly after arriving in Atlantic City. In many cases accommodations will be limited.

Hotels where luncheons and dinners are scheduled can make their arrangements only on the basis of tickets sold in advance. Should it prove necessary, because of demand, to limit the sale of tickets for the Conference luncheon, preference will be given to persons registered at Conference Headquarters.

In a few cases tickets will be sold elsewhere than Conference Headquarters. Consult your final program—obtained when you register in Atlantic City—for details.

## Housing Committee

IF you should arrive in Atlantic City for the Annual Meeting without hotel reservations or if your previous reservations should prove unsatisfactory, go to the Hotel and Housing Committee which will be stationed in Conference Headquarters in the Auditorium. Living quarters will be arranged for you and every effort will be made to see that you are thoroughly satisfied.

## CONFERENCE MEMBERSHIP

**W**ITH the 63rd Annual Meeting of the National Conference of Social Work drawing near, this is an excellent time to become a Conference member if you do not now belong—or to interest others in joining if you already are a member.

Those who plan to attend the Atlantic City meeting will save themselves time and confusion by becoming members in advance of the meeting rather than waiting until they arrive in the Conference city. Those who may be uncertain about attending the Annual Meeting should become members to assure themselves of the Atlantic City Proceedings which, based on the excellent program arranged for the coming session, will be a valuable book for every social worker.

All persons interested in problems of human welfare are welcomed into the membership of the Conference. Memberships furnish the sole financial support of the Conference and make possible the Annual Meeting as well as the other services to social work.

Memberships are divided into various classes as follows:

**Active membership—\$5.** This includes the Quarterly Bulletin, the Proceedings (which otherwise costs \$3 a volume), reduced railway fare privilege and all other privileges of the Conference. If the member does not wish the bound volume of the Proceedings, the annual fee is \$3.

**Sustaining membership—\$10.** This class is for individuals who wish to share more generously in the support of the Conference or for organizations with small budgets unable to maintain the regular institutional membership. The privileges are the same as for individuals, with the additional privilege of reduced railway fare certificates for members of their staff or board and the right of four staff or board members to register at the Annual Meeting without payment of additional fees.

**Institutional membership—\$25.** This is the regular class for social work or other organizations or agencies. It provides all of the privileges of active members plus an ample supply of reduced railway fare certificates for members of their staff or board and the right of free registration at the Annual Meeting for ten members of their staff or board.

Membership fees may be sent to the Conference office any time in advance of the Annual Meeting or at any other time of the year. All Conference members receive the reduced railway fare certificate, preliminary program and other material directly from the Conference office in ample time ahead of the Annual Meeting.

Use the membership application blank below to send in your membership.

### National Conference of Social Work

82 N. High Street, Columbus, Ohio

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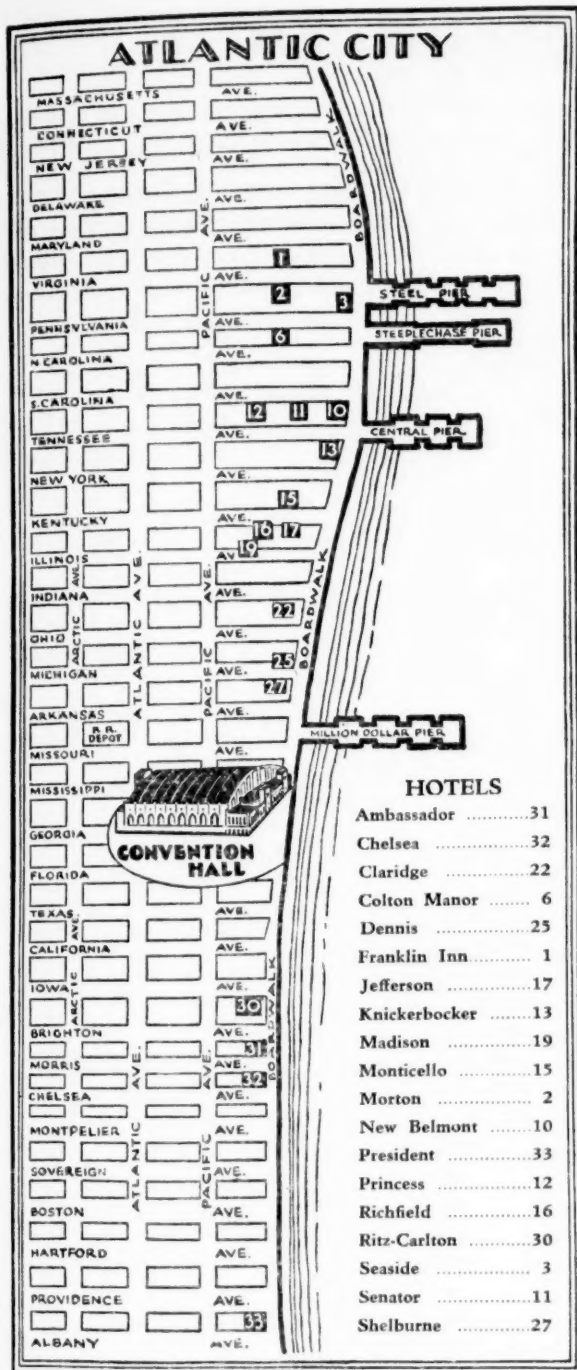
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**ANNUAL FEES—Active, \$5 (\$3 without Proceedings); Sustaining, \$10; Institutional, \$25; Contributing, over \$25.**

Make check payable to Arch Mandel, Treasurer.



Here you see indicated the Auditorium and Convention Hall and the nineteen hotels designated for use of delegates who will attend the 63rd Annual Meeting of the National Conference of Social Work in Atlantic City. Number 11 on the map—the Senator—formerly was known as the Ludy. Number 6, the Colton-Manor, and 33, the President, were added to the Conference list of hotels during the past month. As illustrated, all of the hotels are situated conveniently near the Auditorium, which will be Conference Headquarters and where most of the Conference sessions will be held.

## Hotel Headquarters

Group	Hotel
National Conference of Social Work.....	Ambassador
American Association of Social Workers.....	Ambassador
American Association of Schools of Social Work.....	Chelsea
American Association of Visiting Teachers.....	Chelsea
American Birth Control League.....	Chelsea
American Legion, National Child Welfare Division.....	Ambassador
American Public Welfare Association.....	Ambassador
Association of the Junior Leagues of America.....	Claridge
Big Brother and Big Sister Federation.....	Morton
Child Welfare League of America.....	Ritz-Carlton
Church Conference of Social Work of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America.....	Dennis
Community Chests and Councils, Inc.....	Ambassador
Episcopal Social Work Conference.....	Ambassador
Family Welfare Association of America.....	Ritz-Carlton
International Society for Crippled Children.....	Senator
Life Insurance Adjustment Bureau.....	Madison
Mothers' Aid Association.....	Ambassador
National Association for Travelers Aid and Transient Service.....	Chelsea
National Committee on Volunteers in Social Work.....	Claridge
National Conference of Jewish Social Service, May 30-June 3.....	Chelsea
National Council for the Physically Handicapped.....	Dennis
National Council, Young Men's Christian Associations.....	Morton
National Federation of Day Nurseries.....	President
National Girls' Work Council.....	Dennis
National Institute of Immigrant Welfare.....	Chelsea
National Probation Association.....	Chelsea
Salvation Army.....	Dennis

## Concerning Dates

FOUR associate groups meeting in Atlantic City with the National Conference of Social Work will start their sessions ahead of the Conference—The Family Welfare Association of America, May 21; the American Public Welfare Association and the National Probation Association, May 22; The Community Chests and Councils, Inc., May 23. One, the National Conference of Jewish Social Service, has scheduled its opening session Saturday, May 30. Other associate groups have arranged all of their sessions with the regular Conference dates, May 24 to 30.

### BUSINESS SESSION SCHEDULED

CONFERENCE members are reminded to make a special note to attend the business meeting in Atlantic City. It is scheduled for Wednesday, May 27, at 11 o'clock a. m. in the ballroom of the Auditorium. Up for consideration will be a constitutional amendment proposing a change in the method of electing officers by substituting a majority vote for the present Hare method of proportional representation.



## CONFERENCE WEEK HOTEL RATES

**L**ISTED here are the hotel rates for delegates to the 63rd Annual Meeting of the National Conference. Nineteen Atlantic City hotels have been designated for Conference use. Single room prices vary from \$1.50 up; double rooms, \$2 up. All single rooms at the Ambassador now are on reservation; likewise all minimum rate single rooms at the Chelsea and the Ritz-Carlton.

It therefore would be wise for you to make your hotel reservation at your earliest convenience.

The Boardwalk hotels all face the beach and ocean. The Avenue hotels are nearby. All are within walking distance of the Auditorium where consultation service will be housed and most of the meetings are scheduled.

### BOARDWALK HOTELS

	Without Private Bath		With Private Bath	
	Single	Double	Single	Double
Ambassador ..... Boardwalk at Brighton Ave. ....			\$3-4-5-6	\$6-7-8-10
Chelsea ..... Boardwalk at Morris Ave. ....	\$2.50	\$4.00	\$3-3.50-4-5-6	\$5-6-7-8
Claridge ..... Boardwalk at Park Place. ....			\$4-5-6	\$6-7-8
Dennis ..... Boardwalk at Michigan Ave. ....	\$3.00	\$5.00	\$3.50-4-5-6	\$6-7-8-9-10
Knickerbocker ..... Boardwalk at Tennessee Ave. ....	\$2.50-3	\$3.50-4	\$3-3.50-4	\$5-6-7
New Belmont ..... Ocean Ave. at Boardwalk. ....	\$2-2.50	\$3-4	\$2.50-3	\$4-5-6
President ..... Boardwalk at Albany Ave. ....			\$3.50	\$5.00
Ritz-Carlton ..... Boardwalk at Iowa Ave. ....			\$3-3.50-4-5-6	\$5-6-7-8-9-10
Seaside ..... Boardwalk at Pennsylvania Ave. ....			\$3-3.50-4	\$5-5.50-6
Shelburne ..... Boardwalk at Michigan Ave. ....			\$4-5-6	\$6-7-8

### AVENUE HOTELS

Colton Manor ..... 110 S. Pennsylvania Ave. ....			\$3-3.50-4-4.50	\$5-6-7-8
Franklin Inn ..... 157 S. Virginia Ave. ....	\$1.50	\$2.50-3	\$2-2.50-3	\$3.50-4-5
Jefferson ..... 136 S. Kentucky Ave. ....			\$3-3.50	\$5-6
Madison ..... 123 S. Illinois Ave. ....			\$3.50-4	\$5-6-7
Monticello ..... 131 S. Kentucky Ave. ....	\$2.00	\$3.00	\$2.50	\$4.00
Morton ..... 150 S. Virginia Ave. ....	\$2-2.50	\$4.00	\$3-3.50-4	\$5-6-7
Princess ..... 144 S. South Carolina Ave. ....	\$1.50	\$2-2.50	\$2.50	\$3-3.50-4
Richfield ..... 132 S. Kentucky ....			\$2-2.50-3	\$4-5-6
Senator (formerly the Ludy) ..... S. South Carolina Ave. ....	\$2.50	\$4.00	\$3-3.50-4	\$5-6-7

## HOTEL RESERVATIONS

**R** EPORTS from the Convention Bureau in Atlantic City tell that hotel reservations for the Annual Meeting are arriving in increasing numbers. All available single rooms in three hotels already have been reserved.

Therefore, it is wise to send your reservations in early. Use the blank on this page. Designate your hotels of first, second and third choice. If possible, your first choice will be granted. Send your application to the Convention Bureau, 16 Central Pier, Atlantic City, and you will receive confirmation of your order from the hotel in which your reservation is made.

Many of the Atlantic City hotels have a more selective supply of double rooms than single rooms. Therefore, the Housing Bureau suggests that whenever possible, delegates plan to engage double rooms and share them with roommates, thus reducing individual costs while obtaining roomier living quarters.

The Housing Bureau can assume responsibility only for reservations made through its office and in hotels specified for Conference use.

Consult the list of hotels on the opposite page for rates.

### APPLICATION FOR HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

Please make hotel reservations noted below:

Hotel ..... First Choice

Hotel ..... Second Choice

Hotel ..... Third Choice

<input type="checkbox"/> Double Bed	}	Room without bath for..... person(s) Rate preferred \$..... per room
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Arriving May..... at ..... A. M. .... P. M.

If the hotel of first choice is unable to accept the reservation, the HOUSING BUREAU will endeavor to comply with your second and third choices in the order named. You will receive direct confirmation from the hotel accepting the reservation when made.

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Atlantic City, N. J.

Signed .....

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The Ambassador is headquarters hotel for the National Conference of Social Work. A number of the Associate and Special Groups have designated special hotel headquarters as listed on page 33. Registration, Information Service, etc., will be at the Auditorium. Please use blank when writing for your hotel reservations.

# Check This List

For an idea of the scope of  
the 63rd Annual Meeting of the  
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- ✓ Approximately 350 sessions covering all fields of social work.
- ✓ Consultation service more complete and informative than ever.
- ✓ Four sections covering Social Case Work, Social Group Work, Community Organization, Social Action.
- ✓ Seven special committees dealing with the American Indian, Current Relief Situation, Juvenile Delinquent, Public Welfare Personnel, Children's Institutions, Public Housing, Social Treatment of Crime.
- ✓ Forty-eight associate groups . . . Most of them national social work organizations . . . Programs blended with the program of the National Conference of Social Work to present an outstanding week of discussion on current problems and practice.
- ✓ The Annual Meeting is your opportunity to . . .

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